Today

Look After Your Blood
A Farm Moratorium
A Moving Mountain
Why Not "Our Business?"

By Arthur Brisbane

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One thousand one hundred and twenty-two new cases of influenza in one day, in one city. Health officers warn you against an epidemic of deadly pneumonia. Regular SLEEP, regular, moderate EATING, regular, moderate EXERCISE are the best preventives. The only sure protection your body can have is blood in good condition. Other things may help; they can't prevent or cure.

The Secretary of Agriculture says the farmers should have time extensions on mortgages. Why not do something worth while? The entire nation depends on farmers and is enriched by farmers. If mortgages are crowding the farmer, why not declare a moratorium as to farm mortgage PRINCIPAL? Let the farmer pay the interest, cut it down to a fair rate, deduct from principal any sums out of which he may have been swindled in the way of unfair preliminary commissions, lawyers' fees, etc., and let the principal wait for ten years. "Class legislation," do you say? Well, it was class legislation when the farmer was compelled to sell for $2.25 wheat for which he could have got $5.

In France a great mountain is moving its masses of rock toward a small village, and government has compelled the peasants to move. The thing is now explained scientifically. Once they would have said that somebody with very high-grade faith was praying, and a miracle would have been proclaimed on the text:

"If ye have faith as a grain of mustard seed, ye shall say unto this mountain remove hence," etc.

Iceland, interesting country, where they drink too much if they drink at all, intends to go dry. That would stop all importation of Spanish wine. Spain will retaliate with prohibitory tariffs. Senator Jones, a Viking of prohibition, wants our Senate to rebuke Spain for interfering with Iceland's moral prohibition program.

And Senator King, of Utah, wants this government to interfere with Kemal Pasha, now using weapons got from the French to murder Armenians, Greeks and other Christians.

Good moral suggestions from King and Jones. But how would it be, just for a change, to mind our OWN business.

William Hohenzollern — once Kaiser—is studying the news carefully today. With a strike tying up all railroads, Germany is going through another test of her ability to live under republican government and the results of the Hohenzollern defeat. The Kaiser probably thinks they need him, to shoot the striking railroad men. Many Germans probably think it also. That's the queer part of human nature.

The most mysterious thing in the world, with the exception of woman's character and man's deception, is MONEY.

When money is dirt cheap, as in Germany and Austria, those countries are miserable and are pitied.

When you find money near par, as it is now in England, business men complain they must pay their workmen dearly in good, expensive money of their own country, and sell what they make in other countries for cheap money.

If you pay labor with dear money, and sell goods for cheap money, your export trade goes to smash. England lives on her foreign business.

That's the trouble with this country. Our dollar is worth three dollars of Franch money, fifty dollars of German money. Therefore, some of our factories are closed, others on part time. We have ten times our share of the world's gold, and have lost billions of the world's business, and the joke is on us.

Flying men in France will be guided by gigantic lights clearly seen from the sky, reaching out for a hundred miles. The lights will tell fliers where they may safely land and warn them of danger spots. It is a new kind of lighthouse for the new sailor of the air, another step in human progress.

Already you may fly from London to Paris, constantly in sight of directing air-lighthouses.

CURLEY OFFERS WHIPPLE POST

THE WEATHER
Boston an dvicinity: Fair tonight and Sunday, somewhat colder tonight, fresh westerly winds.
Sun rises at 6:55; sets at 5:02.
Moon sets at 12:08 a. m.
High tide at 6:16 a. m.; 6:50 p. m.
Temperatures: Maximum, 40 at 2:30 p. m.; minimum, 29 at 5 a. m.; average 33½ 3.30 p. m.
Light all vehicles at 5:50 p. m.

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ARREST NEAR IN FILM MURDER

Crazed Providence Woman Shoots Her Son

SAVED AS SHE TRIES TO SHOOT HERSELF

Policeman Knocks Revolver From Her Hand When She Attempts Suicide

Providence, Feb. 4. — Mrs. Elizabeth Cohen shot and probably fatally wounded her fourteen-year-old son, Harold, at her home at No. 11 Perry street today.

She then turned the revolver on herself, but the weapon was dashed from her hand by Patrolman Pattineau.

Mrs. Cohen, who is forty years old, was examined by doctors and then committed to the State asylum at Howard by order of the local court.

The boy was wounded back of the left ear. He was taken to the Rhode Island Hospital, where his name was placed on the danger list. His chance of recovery was regarded as slight.

Patrolman Pattineau was passing the Cohen home when he heard the shot. He found Mrs. Cohen preparing to kill herself.

Mrs. Cohen was taken to the police station. Doctors pronounced her insane.

WARRANT FOR OFFICER McPHEE IS REFUSED

Following a hearing in Roxbury court, a warrant for the arrest of James E. McPhee, a patrolman connected with the East Boston police, was denied by the court. McPhee's seventeen-year-old sister-in-law was the complainant. The hearing was behind closed doors.

FOURTH BURGLARY IN WEEK IN HYDE PARK

The fourth burglary this week in Hyde Park was reported today. J. A. Laberge told police his home at No. 15 Hilton street had been entered while the family slept. A gold watch, overcoat, handbag and purse containing money was taken.

BANDIT SHOT IN PISTOL DUEL

Chicago, Feb. 4.—Two bandits today entered a jewelry store in the exclusive Sheridan road residential section, handcuffed the proprietor and a customer, gathering up jewelry valued at $10,000 and fought a pistol duel with policemen. One policeman and one of the bandits were wounded.

NEW YORK "FLU" CASES INCREASE

New York, Feb. 4.—Influenza and pneumonia cases showed another increase in New York today. There were 1,297 cases of influenza reported, as compared with 1,122 yesterday. Sixty cases of scarlet fever in the Flushing district were reported today.

ARKANSAS MOB LYNCHES NEGRO

Malvern, Ark., Feb. 4.—Harry Harrison, negro, thirty years old, was taken last night from the sheriff of Hot Springs County and two deputies and lynched by a mob of 250 men, it became known today. The negro had been accused of frightening girls.

JOHN BUTLER YEATS, IRISH WRITER, DIES

New York, Feb. 4.—John Butler Yeats, eighty-three years old, Irish painter and writer, and father of William Butler Yeats, the poet, is dead at his home here.

A Great Grand Opera Prima Donna's Heart-Rending and Unusual Problem. See tomorrow's Boston Sunday Advertiser, New England's Greatest Sunday Newspaper.—Advt.

Important New Discoveries in the Ruined City Where the Savior Performed Many Miracles, in tomorrow's Boston Sunday Advertiser, New England's Greatest Sunday Newspaper.—Advt.

Curley Offer Is Declined by Whipple

Mayor-Elect James M. Curley today offered the position of Corporation counsel during his coming administration, to Sherman L. Whipple.

Mr. Whipple refused the appointment. It was reported that Curley then offered the place to E. Mark Sullivan, also a well known Boston lawyer, with the same result.

It is understood that both Whipple and Sullivan expressed appreciation of the honor done them by the Mayor-elect, but owing to circumstances over which they had no control, were unable to devote the time that would be required.

TWO CENTS A GALLON REDUCTION IN GASOLINE

Two companies announced today a cut of two cents per gallon in the wholesale price of gasoline to take effect Monday. This will make their price 24 cents a gallon wholesale, or about 26 or 27 cents retail. The companies making this cut are the Gulf Refining and the Jenney Manufacturing. At the office of the Standard Oil Company it was announced that no word of a prospective cut had been received from the New York office. The Texas Company reported that they were considering a drop. These companies now get 26 cents a gallon. The two cent cut is considered rather drastic among dealers.

THREE MEN ARE HELD ON LIQUOR CHARGES

As a result of seizures in houses in Readville and Jamaica Plain, three men were held for the grand jury today by U. S. Commissioner Hayes on the charge of unlawfully possessing liquor. The defendants are Peter Darcy, Washington street, Jamaica Plain, held in $500 bail; Francisco A. Martin, Regent street, Readville, held in $500 bail, and Claudio Marnpoli, Stoughton avenue, Readville, held in $50 0bail.

6TH DUKE OF LEINSTER, PEER OF ERIN, DEAD

Edinburgh, Scotland, Feb. 4.—Announcement was made today of the death of the Duke of Leinster (Maurice Fitzgerald, sixth of his line, and premier peer of Ireland. He was born in 1887 and succeeded to the title in 1893. The Duke was unmarried and the heir is his brother, Lord Edward Fitzgerald.

CITY PRINTING PLANT SHOWS LARGE PROFIT

The final report from the city printing plant, yesterday forwarded to Mayor Peters by Supt. Charles S. Lawler, who ends his four-year term on Monday morning, shows a profit to the city for the past year of $57,292.85.

The total net sales for 1921-1922, according to the report, was $404,754.62, and the cost of sales was $261,192.71. The administrative expenses for the same period was $18,589.13, together with a sundry income of $3,621.10, brings the total profits for the year to $57,292.85.

SOUTH BOSTON VET SEEKS CASEY'S SEAT

Edward T. Kinnaly of No. 642 East Seventh street, South Boston, popular overseas veteran, is the latest candidate seeking the seat of Representative Daniel H. Casey, at the special primary election in Ward 12, Tuesday.

Casey resigned to accept the position of assistant district-attorney in out of two cents per gallon in the tier.

TODAY'S BANK STATEMENT.

New York bank clearings, $510,509,000.
New York bank balances, $11,000,000.
Boston bank clearings, $49,000,000.
Boston bank balances, $13,000,000.

Now the Daring "Chloroform Burglar" sprayed the deadly "Dew of Sleep" over fashionable newly-weds—in tomorrow's Boston Sunday Advertiser, New England's Greatest Sunday Newspaper.—Advt.

NEW VOTE FAILS TO ELECT POPE

FIVE FIRE AT POLICE CAPTAIN

Auto Bandits Surprised In Act of Robbing Dorchester Tailor Shop

Captain Jeremiah F. Gallivan of the Roxbury Crossing police station was the target for a shower of bullets today when he surprised and fired at five men who had broken into a Washington street, Dorchester, tailor shop.

The captain was on his way home as he heard the tinkle of broken glass. Investigation led him to No. 378A. As he reached the building, three men dashed out and jumped into an automobile waiting a few yards away. Two other men were in the car and the engine was running in readiness for the getaway.

As the last man jumped into the car, the would-be burglars opened fire on Captain Gallivan. As the bullets whistled about the captain's head, he pulled his own revolver and fired one shot. Then a shell jammed and he was forced to watch the men speed away as they continued firing at him. No one is known to have been hit during the battle.

Investigation showed the men had tied up a large number of suits and overcoats which they evidently had intended piling into the waiting car when they were interrupted by the timely arrival of Captain Gallivan. The tailor shop is owned by Jacob Gross, who was soon on the scene. After a hasty search, he decided that nothing had been taken.

PROMISES ARREST IN MURDER

Expect to Have Slayer of William D. Taylor in Custody in 24 Hours

Los Angeles, Feb. 4.—An early solution of the murder of William D. Taylor was promised today. Captain of Detectives David L. Adams announced to the International News Service:

"The net spread by the police department is closing on a man whom we strongly suspect of having been responsible for Taylor's murder. I expect an arrest will be made within twenty-hour hours."

Los Angeles, Feb. 4.—A nationwide search has been started for the "mystery woman" implicated in the murder of William Desmond Taylor, famous motion picture director, at his bungalow here.

Detectives asserted today that many clews pointed to one particular man as the actual slayer and to a woman known to them as the instigator. The woman, it was asserted, was in love with Taylor, and it is believed she may have inspired the slaying possibly because the director had remained passive in his attitude toward her.

One detective said:

"We believe the man was a hired assassin, and that he probably was hired for the slaying by a woman scorned, or at least ignored."

Sensational evidence that the victim received a death threat within the past two weeks has been revealed. These were among the outstanding developments today in the investigation of the assassination as the coroner's inquest started.

Other developments today were:

Taylor was identified as the William Desmond Deane-Tanner, famous art dealer and expert, who mysteriously disappeared from New York in 1908, leaving his wife and child.

Edward F. Sands, secretary-valet of the murdered man, who is said to have threatened him a few days before Taylor's death, has vanished, and police admit they cannot find him.

Mary Miles Minter and other film notables gathered for the coroner's inquest today.

For further details of film tragedy see page 3.

STILLMAN BLOCKS WIFE IN CONTEST OVER FUNDS

Poughkeepsie, N. Y., Feb. 4.—Counsel for James A. Stillman succeeded today in blocking, at least temporarily, another effort by Mrs. Anne U Stillman to obtain additional expense money and the appointment of a commission to take testimony in Montreal in the Stillman divorce case. Supreme Court Justice Morschauser upheld the objection of Mr. Stillman's counsel that the affidavits supporting the application were based on hearsay and, therefore, were insufficient.

Delightful surprises and fascinating Mystery Pictures in the Magic Book given with tomorrow's Boston Sunday Advertiser, New England's Greatest Sunday Newspaper.—Advt.

VICTIM OF MOVIE TRAGEDY AND STAR HE DIRECTED

MARY MILES MINTER AND TAYLOR
Photographed in one of the scenes in "Anne of Green Gables" filmed in Dedham.

'FATTY' INSISTS ON THIRD TRIAL

By International News Service.

San Francisco, Feb. 4.—The future plans for Roscoe C. "Fatty" Arbuckle hinge today upon the date for his third trial, which will be set next Monday by Judge Harold Louderback, who heard the two previous trials.

"There are reasons why I want to go back to Los Angeles before the next trial," said the rotund comedian, "but if an immediate date is set, I'll stay here.

"The fact that the jury stood ten to two for conviction and District Attorney Brady's assertion that he will try me again makes me more determined for a third trial. Through the channel of another hearing I can prove my innocence and I'm ready to stand trial again tomorrow."

The second disagreement was taken in a similar manner by "Fatty's" wife, Mrs. Minta Durfee Arbuckle.

Michael Collins' Own Story—How Ireland's youthful Sons conducted the most amazing military campaign against the British army that the world has ever known—and nearly won—in tomorrow's Boston Sunday Advertiser, New England's Greatest Sunday Newspaper.—Advt.

"How I Won 285 Wives." Landru, the Convicted French "Bluebeard," writes of his romances in tomorrow's Boston Sunday Advertiser, New England's Greatest Sunday Newspaper.—Advt.

COURT INTERPRETER FINED AS BOOTLEGGER

Michael O. Lucas today appealed to Judge Willie W. Stover in the Charlestown Court for clemency on the ground that he was the official Polish interpreter for the court in which he was arraigned. His offence was bootlegging. "You are not entitled to any mercy for the reason you state," said Judge Stover. "You should be ashamed of it. You broke the law with your eyes open to the consequences and you must now accept them: $100.

SATURDAY
Dinner and Supper
DANCING
Will Be Resumed
in the
ITALIAN ROOM
of the
HOTEL LENOX
Every Saturday Evening
Music 8 to 12 P. M.

DEADLOCK REMAINS UNBROKEN

Crowd Outside St. Peter's Gathers to Watch Smoke Messages as Cardinals Vote

Rome, Feb. 4 (By the Associated Press).—A ballot taken this afternoon by the Sacred College of Cardinals, the second of today's ballots, failed to elect a successor to the late Pope Benedict XV.

Cardinal Marini, who has been suffering from influenza since the opening of the conclave, was reported to be better today.

The day broke with Summer-like clearness and softness, bringing out the largest crowd since the beginning of the conclave. The great elliptical enclosure of St. Peter's began to fill soon after 9 o'clock, and it was evident that interest in the conclave's decision had greatly increased with the third day's balloting.

Bishops, priests, friars, Sisters of Mercy and Christian Brothers, accompanied by students, were numerous in the assemblage.

Toward noon the sun became so intense that many in the crowd discarded their overcoats and raised umbrellas to shield themselves from the penetrating rays. Several airplanes were

Turn Over.

Providing For the Future Home

It is a matter that calls for attention Today. What is put off until tomorrow is never done.

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ANOTHER BALLOT FAILS TO ELECT SUCCESSOR TO BENEDICT XV.

DEADLOCK MAY LAST TWO DAYS

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flying at low altitude, sending to flight thousands of pigeons and other birds perched on the roofs of the Vatican.

Cardinal Mistrangelo Reported Leading

Rome, Feb. 4 (By the Associated Press).—Balloting by the Conclave of the Sacred College was to be resumed today, the initial voting yesterday having failed to indicate the successor to the late Pope Benedict.

Doubt as to the color of the smoke signals from the chimney of the Sistine Chapel in the morning caused some confusion, but the exactness with which the throngs assembled before St. Peter's was evidence that the populace would not have been surprised at an election on the first ballot.

Insufficient tow, it seems, was mixed with the straw in which the ballots were burned, this resulting in light smoke, the sign of no election.

Discretion prevails inside and outside the Vatican, and no inkling, aside from the smoke puffs, may be gathered as to the activities of the conclave.

El Mundo, under the heading: "The First Indiscretion," in the only newspaper venturing to publish a purported result of what the conclave accomplished in its first day's sitting.

This account says that Cardinal Gasparri and Cardinal Luaidi, Archbishop of Palermo, were leading on the first ballot, with Cardinals La Fontaine and Laurenti next, there being scattered votes for Cardinals Ascelesi, Lega, Ratti and Tacci-Porcelli. All are Italian members of the Sacred College.

The second ballot, according to the newspaper, was virtually unchanged, while the last vote gave a strong majority for Cardinal Mistrangelo, Archbishop of Florence, many votes being lost to Gasparri and La Fontaine.

Vatican officials who, although not attending the conclave, are reputed to be best informed, say all this is merely speculation. The officials, however, are unable to say whether four ballots are being taken daily, or merely two.

Cardinal O'Connell's Steamer Due in Naples

By Associated Press.

New York, Feb. 4.—The steamship Presidents Wilson, carrying Cardinal O'Connell of Boston to Rome to attend the consistory, is due at Naples late today, according to cable advices received here by agents of the line. She should reach the Italian city tomorrow at the latest, the advices added.

The Presidents Wilson passed Gibraltar February 2 and stopped at Algiers, a regular port of call, yesterday, the agents said.

TRIED TO DIE; TO LIVE TO WIN GIRL'S LOVE

By Associated Press.

North Bergen, N. J., Feb. 4.—Love-lorn Ralph Ballard, arrested when fellow-students at the Beulah Heights Mission saw him about to drink poison, won the sympathy of Recorder A. S. Hilz, and was released to continue his attempts to win the hand of Miss Grace Furbish of Old Orchard, Me. The loss of her affections, the youth confessed, caused him to seek death.

Ballard, a Philadelphian, and Miss Furbish were classmates in the mission, where leaders of the Holy Rollers sect are trained, but the faculty put them in separate classes on the ground that their love-making was interfering with their studies.

Separation was intolerable to Ballard, and students say he was able to drain a phial of poison when they found him in his room.

Miss Furbish was in court to admit that she "had an affection" for Ballard, but stated that she had "thrown him over" because she considered it wrong to violate the mission's rules. Another witness testified that Ballard attempted suicide last Summer.

"I think this man is a fortunate outcast," Recorder Miles said, "with only this girl for a friend. I will suspend sentence."

CLAIM PONZI INVESTORS WILL BE MADE TO PAY

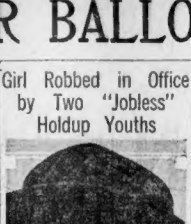
Federal Judge Anderson's decision that four investors in Charles Ponzi's bubble who withdrew their investments without gain and prior to Ponzi's failure, need not refund their original investment to the Ponzi trustees, will not affect recovery in other cases, according to James A. Lowell of the Ponzi trustees, today.

"In my opinion," said Lowell, "the four Taunton cases upon which Judge Anderson passed, differ on their own peculiar facts, and do not prevent recovery in other cases of refund.

"Furthermore, these cases differ from many others because in almost every other instance the persons recovering the money had reasonable cause to believe that Ponzi could not pay his debts in full."

Lowell said he could not say now whether the trustees would appeal from Judge Anderson's decision.

Girl Robbed in Office by Two "Jobless" Holdup Youths



JENNIE JAVAREY.

Girl stenographers alone in offices are warned to beware of two youthful thieves with petit larceny ideas.

Jennie Javarey, stenographer employed in the office of Simpson, Husband & Co., electrical contractors, at No. 373 Third street, East Cambridge, felt sorry for two "jobless" young men who applied for work.

Then one of them held her hands, while the other rifled her vanity bag. She screamed, but they escaped by a window.

REAM HEIRESS ON HONEYMOON 'SOMEWHERE'

Vanishes With Bridegroom 22 Years Her Junior After Hushed Marriage

By Associated Press.

New York, Feb. 4.—Leaving behind them a much disappointed group of New Yorkers who curiously awaited their marriage, announced for 9 o'clock this afternoon, Mr. and Mrs. Anastese Andrevitch Vonslatskoy-Vonslatsky were honeymooning today "somewhere in America."

They dropped from sight. With the exception of the bride's mother, Mrs. Norman B. Ream, and her brother, Norman P. Ream, no one knows where they went following their marriage at 3 o'clock last evening by Father Leonidas Turkevitch in the Russian Cathedral of St. Nicholas.

They left the church in a taxicab, drove to Grand Central Station, and took a train, ostensibly for the home of the bride's mother, Carolyn Hall, Thompson, Ct., but all inquiry there this morning failed to bring any response.

The hasty, hushed marriage last evening and the subsequent disappearance of the two is the latest chapter in this modern romance which makes the former Mrs. Marion Buckingham Ream, stepmother, one of the heirs to a great estate, the bride at the reminiscent age of twenty, almost twenty-two years her junior.

Since announcement of the intended nuptials a few days ago, when the couple secured a marriage license here, both bride and bridegroom have been accorded considerable publicity.

When Mrs. Stephens arrived in the city Thursday to meet Vonslatsky that they might arrange the marriage details, she was greeted by a battery of newspapermen to whom she pleaded fatigue and asked permission to retire without giving out further interviews. After Vonslatsky had joined her they went to the Russian church yesterday afternoon, apparently to complete arrangements for today's wedding.

After being closeted with Father Turkevitch for hour an hour, they hurried to Fifth avenue, where they took a bus ride, later going to the home of Mrs. Stephens' brother.

With no one on the watch, they slipped off to the church at 8 o'clock last evening and the ceremony was performed and the couple were off for their train before the outside world knew what had occurred. The ceremony was hurried indeed, with only the bride's relatives as witnesses.

MOONSHINE TRADE FAILS, ONE MAY DIE

The refusal of Alexander Kyte of Dedham to trade moonshine whiskey for a stolen ham today resulted, the police of that town allege, in the committal of an assault on Kyte by Harry Condon. Kyte is in the Massachusetts General Hospital, believed to be dying of a fractured skull. Chief Shine states that he has evidence that Condon and others removed a pane of glass from a Hartnett square market. Condon's share of the loot, it is said, was a ham. He took it to Kyte's house on Harding terrace and tried to trade it for whiskey. Kyte told Condon he had no whiskey. Witnesses state that Condon beat Kyte about the head with a big rock. Condon, who is a Dedham youth of twenty-three, is being held without bail pending developments.

COLLINS CALLS FOR UNITY IN IRELAND

Will Hold Up New Boycott Against Ulster Pending Peace Efforts

By ROBERT J. PREW, Universal Service Staff Correspondent.

Dublin, Ireland, Feb. 4.—On behalf of the provisional government, Michael Collins today published the terms of the proposal for calling a constitutional assembly.

The call declares "that recognizing the changed circumstances arising from recent events, all the parliamentary representatives of the whole of Ireland be called together to adopt a policy and frame a constitution for our common country."

This unexpected bid for national unity was hastened by the Collins-Craig split yesterday over the question of a new boundary for the northern counties.

BOYCOTT HELD UP.

The deadlock between Craig and Collins confronted the provisional government with the necessity of reimposing the economic boycott against Ulster, but before acting they have preferred to make another effort to unite the north and south under a common government.

Collins, who is an earnest advocate of open diplomacy, today frankly disclosed in the official statement the course which his discussion with Craig took. He cited the articles of the treaty providing for the appointment of a boundary commission of three members to delimit the northern area according to the wishes of the people, and added:

"Our aim was that clear majorities must rule. We anticipated again the whole of Fermanagh and Tyrone and very large areas in Down, Derry and Armagh counties, while in other areas of Antrim and Belfast there are large majorities of our people.

"These are facts, and we can only come to an agreement on recognition of facts. We are giving the peace policy a decent chance. It would obviously be better for us to agree to a boundary than to have the chairman of a commission of three impose a boundary by casting a vote."

BIDS FOR UNITY.

"Craig has emphasized that the abiding historical and sentimental attachment of, his people for such places as Derry and Enniskillen is no less strong and heartfelt than is the attachment and love of our people for those same places, and indeed for places in Antrim, Down and Armagh where we are now in the minority.

"What will bring the salvation of peace is that the Protestant Protestant and the Nationalist Catholic shall be citizens of the same State. This can only be achieved in a united Ireland."

After disclosing his plan for the constituent assembly, Collins added:

"The alternative is the resumption of the old disturbances, the old conflicts and the old animosities.

"The present may be our golden opportunity for ending them."

189 NEW CASES OF INFLUENZA REPORTED

The total number of new cases of influenza reported to the State Department of Public Health today was 189. Forty new cases of lobar pneumonia were reported.

The number of influenza cases was decided upon yesterday was eighty-seven. The number of pneumonia cases reported yesterday was thirty.

During February last year but 131 cases of influenza were reported, and on February 4 last year, but three cases were reported.

Boston had thirty-five of the 189 influenza cases reported today, as compared with eleven reported yesterday.

The largest proportion of the cases was in Worcester, which jumped to sixty-three new cases. The increase in Worcester has taken place since Wednesday, when seven cases were reported.

The influenza cases, so called, are principally colds, it is said.

Dr. Eugene H. Fair, city commissioner of public health, has sent telegrams to boards of health and hospitals and has received replies from the hospitals showing a slight increase in the number of cases admitted, due to influenza or pneumonia, but there is no indication, Dr. Kelley said, of an epidemic.

EX-EMPRESS ZITA RETURNS TO MADEIRA

Funchal, Island of Madeira, Feb. 2.—Former Empress Zita of Austria-Hungary arrived here today (Thursday) to remain, her stay on this recent trip to Switzerland. She was accompanied by all her children except the youngest son, Rudolph, who remains in Switzerland because of illness.

WOMAN, 60, BURNED TO DEATH IN SOUTH END

Mary Murphy, sixty years old, was burned to death when a lamp overturned and set fire to her bed in her room on the second floor of the house at No. 19 Newland street, South End, today. The house was damaged $150 worth.

FORD BUYS LINCOLN MOTORS FOR $8,000,000

Detroit, Mich., Feb. 4.—Henry Ford today purchased the property of the Lincoln Motors Company for $8,000,000 at a receiver's sale. Two other bidders refused to go over this mark.

BRICKLEY DONS OVERALLS AND GOES TO WORK

Starts In at Bottom of Ladder in Carpet Plant Where Young Roosevelts Worked

Hartford, Ct., Feb. 4.—Charles E. Brickley, captain of the Harvard football team in 1914, sergeant in the Harvard Reserve Officers' Training Corps, husband of the beautiful Miss Kathryn E. Taylor, prominent in New York society, and a member of the former brokerage firm of Charles E. Brickley & Company, has put on a pair of overalls and gone to work.

Under the supervision of Overseer William J. Hines, he has started in the wool department of the Bigelow-Hartford Carpet Company, where Theodore Roosevelt, Jr., and his brother Archie got their first business training. Like them, also, Brickley will work through all the departments of the plant until he gets a comprehensive insight into the business.

Clad in overalls and jumper, he went to work today sorting wool in the picker and scouring rooms. He is living near the famous "White House" on High street, Thompsonville, where the young Roosevelts lived during their apprenticeship.

BROKEN ROMANCE.

After leaving college, Brickley coached the Boston College football team and was engaged in that work in October, 1917, when he married Miss Taylor at the church of the Blessed Sacrament, New York. She is the daughter of the late John C. Taylor and a niece of Mgr. Matthew Taylor of New York.

Brickley's love affairs had not gone smoothly. He had been reported engaged to Miss Agnes Coakley, daughter of Attorney Daniel H. Coakley, but that engagement was broken off. Neither Brickley nor Miss Coakley would disclose the reason for the break. "It's our business," said Brickley.

In 1918 he enlisted in the navy as a chief storekeeper and served during the war with that branch of Uncle Sam's forces.

After the war Brickley organized the brokerage firm and entered Wall Street. Troubles came quickly, however. In June last year he was sued by Leon Redmond of 120 Nassau for $20,000 which the plaintiff alleged he had paid on a note made out to the Industrial City Bank of Worcester by Brickley's firm. He said Brickley induced him to endorse one-quarter of the note, which was for $80,000.

THREATENED BY GIRL.

Shortly before that Joseph S. Jackson of New York filed suit against Brickley for $10,000. In this suit it stated that Jackson's sister had threatened to invade the Harvard Club and beat up Brickley. Later he paid a judgment of $19,000 which his brother had obtained against him.

According to the attorney for Jackson the woman was Mrs. Miriam Reinhardt. Jackson claimed he had loaned Brickley $19,000 on a note and that Brickley had failed to pay any part of it.

This was but one of a number of similar cases in which Brickley became involved. The Back Bay National Bank of Boston filed suit for $15,000 against him last April. The bank claimed to be the holder of three promissory notes on which the principal and interest were due.

These suits followed Brickley's resignation from the brokerage firm he had founded. There it was rumored that he had been forced out, but this he denied.

61 POLICEMEN AT FUNERAL OF McSHANE

An escort of sixty-one policemen attended the funeral today of Patrolman Daniel J. McShane, who died of wounds received in a battle when fifty policemen tried to arrest Renzi Feroldi in Dedham, a year and a half ago. A solemn mass of requiem was celebrated at St. Anne Church, Newport, and the burial was in the family lot at Old Calvary Cemetery. The body was clothed in the uniform of the Back Bay Post of the Legion attended. The police escort consisted of Captain Matthew Daly, Lieutenant Andrew Lahey and Edward H. Mo'lin, Sergeants Lutz, Sullivan, Harvey and Mahoney, forty-eight patrolmen from station 4 and six patrolmen as bearers.

MEXICO TO SEND 25 TO SCHOOL IN EUROPE

San Antonio, Texas, Feb. 4.—Mexico will send twenty-five students to the principal European universities, particularly German, according to the newspaper Excelsior of the city of Mexico. The newspaper says the Mexican Government has approved a fund to be used in sending the students abroad.

LEAGUE OF NATIONS SNUBBED BY SOVIET

Riga, Feb. 4.—The Russian Soviet Government goes the United States one better in its failure to recognize the League of Nations. The Russians do not admit the league even exists, and are careful, in their diplomatic correspondence, when they must refer to it, to term it the "So-called" League of Nations.

COLD WEATHER STOPS FUNERALS IN BERLIN

Berlin, Feb. 4.—Cold weather, topped by a blizzard which developed Thursday, has interfered with the grave diggers, who only work eight hours a day, and has delayed interments in outlying cemeteries, from one of which it is reported 132 bodies are awaiting burial.

SAMMY AND HIS PALS

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REVISED MAP OF UNITED STATES
JAPANESE
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SAM HERE'S OUR NEW MAP OF AMERICA. THE UNITED STATES OF ENGLAND FRANCE AND JAPAN" YOUR STATESMEN THINK IT'S A GRAND IDEA. US TELLERS ARE GOING IT AND MOVE YOU TO THE ISLAND OF YAP
I'LL FILL CALIFORNIA WITH PAPER HOUSES
THAT PROHIBITION SHE WILL GET ONE OF THOSE BLACK EYES WHEN I MOVE IN
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ENGLAND
LAY OFF! LAY OFF!
F. OPPER

CITY HALL SEES SIGHS AND SMILES

Mayor and Two Councillors "Clean House" Before Quitting Official Positions

City Hall was abridged with sighs and forced smiles today.

Mayor Peters cleaned house. So did his secretary, George Canty. As a matter of fact, he let George do it. For every other minute somebody popped in to say "goodbye." Came department heads and General Clarence R. Edwards, commander of the First Army Corps Area.

They didn't mind the grime on Hizzoner's hand, while it was warmly and wished him much happiness.

In the Council chamber President Joseph A. Watson cuddled a new gold watch and chain in his hands and tried to tell his colleagues that he was glad to take their time and told them how much he appreciated their gift.

Walter L. Collins and Edward F. McLaughlin, retiring councillors, delivered addresses of farewell.

Then they all adjourned to "put on the feed bag" as guests of Mayor Peters at the Hotel Lenox, the luncheon being in honor of the retiring councillors.

Collins was senior member of the Council, having been in that body for the past twelve years.

DIAMONDS ARE MISSING AFTER SOUTH END FIRE

Mrs. Annie M. Tobin and her husband, Edward P. Tobin, a contractor, each reported the loss of a diamond ring following a fire that caused a damage of $1,000 today in their apartment at Nos. 39-41 East Concord street, South End. A number of other articles of jewelry could not be found after the fire.

Tobin's ring was hanging on a nail in a closet. The diamond in his wife's ring was knocked from its setting during the fire and could not be found, she declares.

H. J. ROBERTSON, 3RD, WEDS NEW YORK GIRL

Boston society was interested in the marriage in New York today of Hugh Jack Robertson, 3rd, son of Hugh Jack Robertson, Jr., oil dealer of No. 32 State street, and Miss Isabelle Bradley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William C. Bradley of No. 940 Park avenue, New York. The wedding was held in the Collegiate Church of St. Nicholas. A reception followed at the Hotel Gotham. The bridegroom lives at No. 281 Prince street, West Newton.

ALLEN WILL SPEAK TO MALDEN WOMEN

Attorney-General Allen will be the principal speaker at the special meeting of the Malden Branch of the Women's Division of the Republican Party, Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock in the Malden High School.

Other speakers who have promised to appear are Miss Emily M. Skilton, Lowell policewomen, who will give a short talk concerning her work; Mrs. M. F. Bristow and Emma Fall Schofield.

SINN FEIN PARLIAMENT WILL MEET ON FEB. 28

Dublin, Feb. 24.—The next session of the Dail Eireann (Sinn Fein Parliament) has been postponed until February 28. Arthur Griffith, president of the Dail, declared today that "force would not be tolerated in the boundary dispute between South Ireland and Ulster."

Dickerman's Mother 'Broken-Hearted'

More of the ardent love notes of twenty-seven-year-old Robert Eliot Dickerman to his forty-seven-year-old wife are published today. Also, a few of the letters written by the wife to Dickerman's mother in an attempt to avert the storm that threatened their married life, are given.

"Am Crying for You," He Wrote

Gene, My Darling:

I received your dear, sweet, long letter Tuesday and have decided to tell mother tonight.

If you will let me know how much money you need, I will send it to you, my love. I simply must have you soon, as I can't live without you any longer. I get awfully blue at times, so please come back to me, dear heart, stouter the sweeter. Well, I'm going up to tell mother now.

Gene, my love, I'm heart-broken. When I told mother she said she expected it right along. She said it had broken her heart, and she wishes she had died before it had happened.

I asked if she wouldn't bless us and recognize you, and she said possibly she would later, but that she was too upset at present.

Gene, my love, I love you desperately despite all the misfortune. Please don't take this too hard, and come to me. I want you, dear, am crying for you. BOBBIE.

Didn't Care What People Said

Gene, My Darling:

I received two dear, sweet letters from you the latter part of the week. I expect by now you have received a note from me, telling you of the result which I told of the affair to mother. She now says when you come back I'll have to go and live with her and never come back. A fine thing to say.

What do we care what people say?

My love, in my last two letters I have called for you and I want you, oh, so bad. Can't you please come to me now? I want to have someone near me who really loves and appreciates me.

God! my love, but it has been lonesome.

I got a $25 a month raise last week, much to my surprise, as I hadn't expected it, so I am now getting $123.50 a month. I guess we can skimp along on that for a while, can't we, sweetheart?

Hoping to see you soon, and wanting and loving you, just heaps, always and forever,

"YOUR BOY."

Wife Protests Resort to Law

Mrs. Dickerman:

Got a letter from Robert. He said he had engaged a lawyer named Leary. I have suspended all action in deference to your wishes. I have done everything I could to be honest and above board with you, but as long as he intends to push me, I will be obliged in self-defence to protect myself.

I am willing to wait, as you asked me, but evidently Robert was advised to get a lawyer. My very soul cried out against going to law.

You could have helped us, but instead of helping us, you have driven Robert to do this awful thing. I'm sorry God did not enter your heart and show you the right way, but as this is your ultimatum, I am forced to act in my own defence.

I will go to my sister. You have the address. EUGENIE.

Looking Up His Jail Record

Dear Mother—I telegraphed Robert I was coming to Boston. The conductor telegraphed from New Haven, but though he was in Boston he failed to meet me at the station. As a result I had to be carried from the train.

I had a letter from General Edwards. He met Robert while in Paris. He met him later with your husband when Robert was wearing the stripes he had no right to wear.

I got his official record in the field service and find he was reprimanded three times before he received his dishonorable discharge. I also have his jail record in Kewanee, and tomorrow morning have an appointment with the chief of police in Boston in regard to his jail record in that city.

Ever and cordially yours, Eugenie.

Her Four Months of Purgatory

My dear Mrs. Dickerman:

Contrary to your letters, Robert has not given me everything he could spare since July. He wrote yesterday that last week he borrowed $50 and is still in debt. He wrote me in July that he, at that time, owed $200 and is financially embarrassed.

I have not heard from Robert since July 18. He wrote me once after that to tell me and wish me goodbye, so at least he is true to you, if not to me.

I'm very sorry all this had to happen, when so little would have made things right. I have had four months of punishment for doing good. Why, I don't know, but I suppose there's some reason, and I will rise bigger and better out of my purgatory, just as we all will in the end.

I am able now to go to New York, and although I have lost my good position with the Lincoln Memorial through this affair, I will try and get something else to do. I write Robert often, but no answer.

He completely ignores me. I am sorry. Sincerely yours,

EUGENIE E. DICKERMAN
38 Richdale avenue, Somerville.

"RING" WINS CAUCUS IN WEST SPRINGFIELD

West Springfield, Feb. 4.—The "town hall ring," composed of regular Republican candidates, were nominated in the caucus after the hottest fight in the town's history. They are Charles O. Palmer, Edmund J. Roberts and Herman C. Walker, assessmen; Fred H. Sibley for town clerk and treasurer; H. C. Holland, water commissioner; Raymond M. Sweeney, tax collector. Progressives were beaten badly. A record vote was polled.

RABBI TO SPEAK AT NEWTON CENTRE CHURCH

"The Jew" will be the subject of an address by Rabbi Levi in Temple Church, Newton Centre, tomorrow evening at 7:15. Dr. Levi is the rabbi of the Commonwealth Avenue Synagogue and is described by one of his friends as a "gifted orator, and a deeply religious personality." He has been invited by the rector, Dr. Sullivan, to deliver this notable address to the Sunday night congregation in Trinity Church.

DICKERMAN IS SNUBBED BY WAR CHUM

Former "Buddie" Refuses to Shake Hands With His Mother's Young Husband

Robert Eliot Dickerman and Raymond Young, whose mother married his former "buddie," are no longer the "pals" they were overseas during the World War.

Both staged a dramatic scene in the corridors outside the East Cambridge courtroom, where Mrs. Eugenie Young Dickerman's $100,000 suit against her mother-in-law, Mrs. Minnie L. Dickerman, for alleged alienation of the affections of her husband, Robert Eliot Dickerman, is being heard before Judge Stanley E. Qua and a jury.

The tall, dark haired Young refused to recognize his stepfather and former army "buddie," the tall, fair-haired Robert Eliot Dickerman, and the latter did not hesitate to later express his amazement to friends.

As his present stepson entered the corridor, Dickerman stepped forward as if to shake his hands. Young stared coldly, stepped aside, and passed along, leaving Dickerman staring after him in astonishment.

This was but one of several features of the trial's fourth day, attracting the attention of society in general, and drawing a packed courtroom of young and old.

Another thrill was given the spectators when Mrs. Minnie L. Dickerman, defendant in the suit, gave the following answers to interrogatories filed in the suit:

MOTHER ON STAND.

Q.—Did you consider the marriage a misfortune, mistake, or a mismatch? A.—I considered it a misfortune and a mismatch.

Q.—Why? A.—The woman was a Sunday school teacher of my son, twice his age, and old enough, I thought, to be his mother.

Three times during Mrs. Eugenie Young Dickerman broke down and wept on the stand, as her counsel, Attorney Alvah L. Stinson read the love notes that passed between her and her "boy" husband, both before and after their marriage. She wept again when passages from letters she wrote to her mother-in-law were introduced.

Late yesterday afternoon also marked the first appearance on the stand of Mrs. Minnie L. Dickerman, the defendant. She was asked by Attorney Stinson regarding her Summer home at Little John Island, Me., and whether she had ever invited the plaintiff to visit there.

She declared she had never invited her daughter-in-law to Little John Island, and that she had not visited her there.

Reading of interrogatories by Attorney Stinson revealed that Mrs. Dickerman first learned of her son's marriage in January, 1920, from him. She had no knowledge of the engagement, she said.

SAYS HE HAD JAIL RECORD.

Another sensation came when a letter written by the plaintiff to defendant was introduced. It said:

"I am sorry to say that while he was in Kewanee Ill., he only worked half the time and was drunk the other half. I now have his jail record there, and have an appointment with the chief of police of Boston in regard to his jail record there."

The letters also stated that her youthful husband still owed the town of Kewanee $200, and that the damages incurred when he battered down his cell door.

In one letter to the mother-in-law she told of going to Robert's assistance twice while they were in Paris. Both times he was drunk, the letter stated.

LETTERS CAUSE CLASH.

Opposing counsel, Attorneys Stinson and Anderson, staged several tilts. One of these was over admissibility of letters about the time young Dickerman and his middle-aged wife separated, which the plaintiff alleges was caused through the efforts of the mother-in-law.

The jury was excused while the attorneys argued. Judge Qua finally ruled they were admissible. In his plea Attorney Stinson, for the plaintiff, declared that he was prepared to prove that the mother-in-law had shown "active interference, ill-will, malice and hostility toward the plaintiff."

He declared the contents of the mother-in-law's letters to her daughter-in-law, in which she requested that their marriage be kept a secret and to wait awhile before they saw each other again, were nothing but "soft, persuasive arguments" for the defendant's part.

"In other words that shows," declared Stinson, "an attitude on her part of 'give me a little longer to poison my son against you.'"

WIFE LOST 43 POUNDS.

In a letter dated February 6, 1920, after the alleged separation took place, young Dickerman wrote his wife:

"Mother has nearly driven me crazy the past week."

Another dated February 8, 1920, closed "with oodles and oodles of love."

In one of her letters to her mother-in-law, Mrs. Eugenie Dickerman declared she had lost forty-three pounds because of worry over their separation.

The trial will be resumed Monday at 10 o'clock.

FAMOUS FILM STARS ARE CALLED TO TESTIFY AT TAYLOR INQUEST

LOVES OF VICTIM MANY

By Associated Press.

Los Angeles, Feb. 4.—Famous stars of filmdom were summoned as witnesses today at the inquest into the death of William Desmond Taylor, motion picture director, soldier and adventurer, whose true name may be William Deane Tanner, slain by a bullet in the back at his residence here, Wednesday night.

The police investigation of the crime had revealed by today a maze of complexities in the life of Taylor or Tanner. His affairs of the heart continued to be the leading subject of inquiry.

Mabel Normand, Mary Miles Minter and Neva Gerber are three of the motion picture actresses involved in the investigation. Reports have come to the police, they say, that a love affair at one time or another existed between each of these and the slain director.

THEORY OF REVENGE.

Police say, without mentioning the name, that a motion picture actress is the centre of their investigation. A theory of a revenge motive with jealousy as the possible direct cause is being analyzed.

Edna Purviance and Mrs. Douglas MacLean, the former an actress and the latter the wife of an actor, are incidental witnesses in the case. These five figures in the motion picture world and others, actresses, directors and employes, were scheduled to appear here today in the inquest.

Investigation of the checquered and adventurous career of the slain director, actor, engineer, Klondike pioneer, soldier and student of psychology, known for years to his most intimate friends here as a bachelor living alone in a luxuriously furnished dwelling place, and often visited by actresses, reveals that he has been living under a changed name, has a daughter thirteen years of age, was divorced and possibly had been married and divorced a second time.

AIDED DESERTED WIFE.

He was formerly known as Tanner, according to the deserted wife of his brother, Mrs. Ada Deane Tanner, of Monrovia, near here, who announced the slain man had supported her by sending checks of $50 monthly for the last six years.

Police are continuing their search for Edward F. Sands, reported alleged to be known as Edward Fitz Strathmore, the missing butler of Taylor, who disappeared several months ago after which Taylor filed with the police charges of grand larceny against him.

While most intimate friends in the film world of Taylor did not know of his previous marriage, this butler did, for he used the name of William Deane Tanner in pawning at Fresno articles stolen from Taylor.

Fear of death during the last few days of his existence adds to the dramatic mystery of the dual existence of Taylor. He mentioned to at least one person, police say, that he had premonition of death.

Taylor's Wife Was in Floradora Company

Chicago, Feb. 4.—Chapters in the life of William Desmond Taylor, motion picture director, who was slain in Los Angeles, were described here today by friends who knew him well.

Prior to 1908, as William Dean Tanner, an art connoisseur, he was manager for a prominent New York firm of art and antique furniture dealers, and had a wide circle of friends.

In 1901 he secretly married Miss Ethel May Harrison, a member of the original Floradora Company, and they had a child, Ethel, now fourteen years old, according to Chicago friends.

In 1908 he suddenly disappeared in mysterious fashion and his wife was unable to give any clew to his whereabouts or to assign any reason for his actions. Several years later she obtained a divorce and since has married a prominent New York merchant, accord ng to this source.

A Two-Act Play Entitled
"Finding A Roomer"

Act 1—Scene, The American Want Ad Office. You put a "Furnished Room" Ad in The American.

Act 2—Scene, Your House, Next Day. The Newcomer: "Very well, I'll take the room. My trunk will be here this evening."

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PRINCIPAL FIGURES IN LOS ANGELES MOVIE TRAGEDY

CLAIRE WINDSOR.
Photo by Hoover Art Studio.

MABEL NORMAND.
Screen star who visited Taylor a few moments before the fatal shot is thought to have been fired. (Photo by Harlsook.) Above, William Desmond Taylor, slain photoplay director. (Photo by International.)

Boy Flashes Gun in Mansfield School and Is Locked Up

Mansfield, Feb. 4.—Willis Palinkers flourished a loaded revolver, and the Sixth Grade reacted violently. Girls screamed. Boys ducked under desks. Mrs. Maud O'Brien, teacher, disarmed Willie and called the police.

Special Officer Harold Everett relieved him of 50 cartridges, then marched him to the lockup.

The boy said he bought the gun of a strange man for fifty cents.

NO WOMAN IN MURDER, SAYS DE MILLE

Ridicules Theory That Crime Resulted From Director's Love Affairs

New York, Feb. 4. — Leaving his suite on the Aquitania on a stretcher here today because of rheumatism which has rendered him helpless, Cecil B. DeMille of the Famous Players-Lasky Film Corporation ridiculed the thought that the murder of William D. Taylor could have resulted from trouble arising from the movie director's association with women."

"There was not a cleaner man in the moving picture industry. He was never engaged in any questionable relations with the women of his acquaintance."

DeMille was met at the pier by Mrs. DeMille and Adolph Zukor, the motion picture owner. He was conveyed in an ambulance to his suite in the Ambassador.

COAST GUARD CUTTER STANDS BY THE ZEMAN

Rockland, Me., Feb. 4.—The condition of the five-masted schooner Joseph S. Zeman of New York, which ran onto Metinic ledge in this vicinity in a southeast gale yesterday, remained unchanged today. The coast guard cutter Onondaga is standing by with crews from the White Head and Burnt Island coast guard stations.

MABEL NORMAND DENIES SHE WAS TO WED TAYLOR

Los Angeles, Feb. 4.—Mabel Normand, one of the last persons to see William Desmond Taylor alive, when she visited his Alvarado street home, Wednesday evening to borrow a book on philosophy, denied emphatically today that she was or ever had been engaged to Taylor.

She said: "Mr. Taylor's friendship for me was that of an older man for a girl who liked the outdoor sports he liked, and who was eager to glean a little enlightenment from the vast storehouse of knowledge he possessed.

"When I went to Mr. Taylor's bungalow Wednesday evening it was in response to a telephone call he made. I bought some peanuts and some magazines and newspapers and ate the peanuts on the way. When I got out of my automobile I told my chauffeur to clean the car.

"Then I went up the steps. I heard Mr. Taylor talking to somebody over the phone, underneath the stairs, and I hesitated about going in until he had finished. Then I entered. He had been talking to a woman who had charge of the income tax business for many of the picture world, including myself.

"He came in and said he was glad to see me.

"It was about five minutes after seven when I arrived at this house. We talked about books. I am studying French, and as he spoke French fluently, he was of great assistance to me.

"I looked around the drawing room and told him I thought he had changed his house furnishings. He said I hadn't been there for so long I had forgotten. I hadn't been to his house before for two months. *He enemy.*"

100 VETERANS GET POSITIONS IN PARKS

One hundred World War veterans were given employment today in the reservations of the metropolitan park system as the result of the act appropriating $50,000 which was signed yesterday by Governor Cox.

The men were employed through the American Legion office at the State House. Within an hour after the office opened the places were filled. Only married men with dependent families were given work cards.

Three hundred additional veterans made application for the work and they will be given employment as soon as officials in charge of the work in Middlesex Fells, where most of the recent storm damage occurred, arrange to extend activities.

Major James T. Duane had charge of the distribution of the work cards at legion headquarters.

said the phonograph was the only thing new.

"His servant, Henry, came in, and I asked Mr. Taylor if he had had his dinner. He said he had and asked if I had mine. I told him no, but that I was tired and was going home, as I had a studio call for 7 o'clock in the morning.

"He went with me to my car. He expressed surprise at some of the magazines in my car, and mine were light, I suppose, and he gave me one of Freud's books to read.

"He said he would phone me later in the evening, but he did not. When Edna Purviance told me he was dead I felt sure it was all some horrible mistake. I had known him for six or seven years.

"He was uniformly kind to every one. I never knew him to have an

TAYLOR'S PAST ROMANCE IS REVEALED

Murder Recalls His Mysterious Disappearance From New York in 1908

New York, Feb. 4.—Amazing details in the life of mystery of William Desmond Taylor, the motion picture director who was slain in Los Angeles last Wednesday night, were disclosed today.

Although he had become nationally famous as a film director and was popular among his associates among the film folk in Hollywood, it was often remarked that he had few intimates and that there was some shadow over his past that he never discussed.

It is learned that Taylor was well known in New York prior to 1908 as William Deane Tanner, a cultured art connoisseur. At that time he was the manager of a prominent Fifth avenue firm of art and antique furniture dealers. His profession brought him into contact with wealthy art and bric-a-brac enthusiasts, and he had a wide circle of friends.

In 1901 he had secretly married Miss Ethel May Harrison, a member of the original Floradora company, and they had one child, a girl, now fourteen.

VANISHED SUDDENLY.

One day in 1908 Tanner's friends and business associates were startled by his sudden and mysterious disappearance. His wife could give no clew to his probable whereabouts, nor ascribe any reason for his action.

At the Fifth avenue firm with which he was associated an examination of his books and business affairs showed everything to be in perfect order. An extensive search by the police and private detectives failed to yield any trace of where or why he had gone, and his family and friends finally set it down as an unsolved mystery.

It is understood that several years later his wife obtained a divorce and has since remarried a prominent and wealthy New York merchant.

About two years later some acquaintances of Tanner, who were then living in Los Angeles, were startled one day when he suddenly called on them.

WAS SHANGHAIED.

In response to their astonished queries about his disappearance from New York, he related that he had been shanghaied at night in lower Broadway, taken aboard a sailing vessel bound around Cape Horn and that it was several months before he reached some port on the Pacific Northwest Coast.

He said he had gone to work in a clerical capacity on the Transcontinental Railroad that was being built through Canada to Prince Port Rupert on the British Columbia Coast. He said that subsequently he had been working in the office of a mine in one of the Pacific Coast States and from there had gone to Los Angeles, where he happened to learn of the presence there of these friends.

Tanner, however, showed a strange reticence in discussing some portions of his adventures during the two years he was banished from New York and did not explain why he had not returned to his family and friends.

WAS UNUSUALLY CULTURED.

The acquaintances whom he had sought out had known him in New York as a man of high ideals, excellent reputation and unusual culture, and they did not press him on this point. Nor did he ever clear up the mystery for them.

Tanner remained in Los Angeles for several months following his sudden appearance there and made a number of friends, who were charmed by his quiet, agreeable, well-read personality. He conversed fluently on art and literature and disclosed a considerable knowledge of the drama.

Without ever fully explaining his reason for doing so he now had adopted the name of Taylor, and never was known as Tanner in Los Angeles. That was in the Winter of 1910 when the motion picture industry was in its infancy in Southern California.

ENTERS MOVIES.

Tanner, now Taylor, unexpectedly told his friends in the Spring of 1911 that he had decided to return to Prince Rupert and resume his railroad position there. During his stay in Los Angeles he apparently had not been in good financial circumstances, and it was assumed that he was returning to British Columbia because his funds were running low.

At any rate, he left for the North, and in Los Angles nothing was heard from him for a year or so.

Tanner returned to Los Angeles about 1913, and shortly after that obtained a position with a motion picture concern in the "Movie" city of Los Angeles. To friends whom he met he explained that after remaining for some time in Prince Rupert he had come down to Seattle or Tacoma and had been playing there with one of several theatrical stock companies.

This stage experience evidently was the foundation of his success in the motion picture field. For a year or more Tanner, now know as William Desmond Taylor, was connected with the Balboa Film Company, Long Beach, and rapidly advanced to a directorship in more important companies in Hollywood. There his advancement to the forefront of his profession as a director is a matter of screen history.

Although the former Mrs. Tanner could not be located here last night, old friends of Tanner who were located recalled the facts of his mysterious disappearance.

The New York newspaper files of December, 1901, disclose the romantic details of the Tanner marriage. According to the published accounts at that time the couple were married suddenly and secretly. The bride was Miss Ethel Mary Harrison, who was playing a part in the first "Floradora" company. She met Tanner, whose full name at that time is recorded as William Cunningham Deane Tanner. He was a member of a prominent family in Dublin, Ireland, and reported to be heir to a fortune there.

Few of the company suspected that the beautiful Miss Harrison and Tanner were to wed, although he was known to be attentive to her. The couple had planned, however, to be married on December 26, 1901, and to make formal announcement of the event to their friends and the bride's relatives at a wedding breakfast.

WEDDED SECRETLY.

Invitations for this breakfast had been printed. Then a sudden change in their plans was made. The couple decided to be wedded at once. After a luncheon at the old Iroland House, Tanner and Miss Harrison slipped over to the Little Church Around the Corner, and were married by the Rev. George C. Houghton.

Only the mother of the bride was taken into the couple's confidence. The new Mrs. Tanner returned to her home and Tanner remained at his bachelor quarters. They planned to let none of their friends know of the wedding until they had sailed on a honeymoon trip to Dublin. But somehow the news leaked out and then both Tanner and his bride confirmed it.

CLOSE-UP OF SLAIN DIRECTOR TAKEN IN FILM HERE

WILLIAM D. TAYLOR
Shown in character poses filmed in Dedham in the picture, "Anne of Green Gables." The lower view shows him with Mary Miles Minter, co-star in the photoplay with him.

Taylor Friendly With Number of Famous Film Favorites

A review of Taylor's friendships and activities brought the police into close knowledge of his companionship with a number of motion picture actresses, including Mabel Normand, Mary Miles Minter and Claire Windsor. Miss Normand and Neva Gerber, another film actress, are said to have been engaged to Taylor, while Miss Minter also is said to have enjoyed the director's close friendship at one time.

MISS MINTER WARM FRIEND TO TAYLOR

Eulogizes Slain Director, at Same Time Scoffing at Sentimental Interest

Los Angeles, Feb. 4.—Mary Miles Minter, motion picture star, who said she had always considered him the "most perfect man" and who was one of the first to call at the residence of William Desmond Taylor after the murder became known, said:

"It is ridiculous for anyone to intimate that Mr. Taylor and I were ever interested in each other in a sentimental way.

"I have known Mr. Taylor since I was a little girl. He has directed me in some of my best pictures and I have always loved and admired him almost as one would a father.

"Immediately after mother told me of his murder, we hurried to his home. I have often been there with my mother or grandmother and when I came face to face with Henry, his colored servant, I burst into tears.

"One paper said I had hysterics. Perhaps I did. Mr. Taylor was an old friend of the family and I have known him ever since I was a child playing child parts.

"I used so often to call Henry, his faithful servant, over the telephone and ask him if Mr. Taylor had remembered to eat his dinner or to tell him to be sure that Mr. Taylor had plenty of covers on his bed, as it was a cold night.

"As far as I know, Mr. Taylor was never married. He may have been paying for the education of children in various boarding schools, but if such is the case it is merely because he was generous and was trying to assist the children of his friends.

"I do not believe he was engaged to Mabel Normand. Miss Normand and myself are very good friends and I am sure I would have known had they been planning to marry. I think that Mr. Taylor found Miss Normand a lovable and rather boyish pal and that was all there was to it.

"For the last three and a half years I have known Mr. Taylor very well, although during the last five months or so I have scarcely seen him, having been so busy with my work.

"He directed me in 'Anne of Green Gables,' 'Judy of Rogues' Hollow,' 'Nurse Marjorie' and 'Penny Be Good.'

"Mr. Taylor was always the man we all pointed to when anyone asked us to name a representative man of the profession.

"No, I never heard him mention having any fear of any one, and I am positive he had no premonition of trouble.

"I have wept hours since his death, and I expect to weep a great many more, for Mr. Taylor was one of the most splendid and fine men that I ever expect to know."

Taylor Directed Film Made in Dedham

Investigation into the activities of William Desmond Taylor, movie director who was murdered at his California home, disclosed the fact that not only was Taylor director of a picture which was made in Dedham, but was one of the stars in the picture.

The picture was "Anne of Green Gables," and starred Mary Miles Minter. Taylor was a striking figure in the picture and played opposite Miss Minter in the greater part of the production.

The outdoor scenes were made on the old Fairbanks estate at Dedham and Taylor was a familiar figure in that town during the filming. On the country roads he was filmed while driving along in an old-fashioned buggy with Miss Minter by his side, and many other striking scenes were made before the eyes of Dedham folk.

ENGINEER BADLY HURT BY POLE, LEANING FROM CAB

Harvey Ambler, an engineer on the Boston & Maine Railroad, was severely injured shortly before midnight when he hit a high head too far out of the window of his engine while running through the yards in Charlestown and struck a signal pole. His fireman jumped and stopped the engine. Ambler was rushed to the [illegible] General Hospital, where it was said he has a probable concussion of the brain and a severe scalp wound. He is forty-six years old, married, and lives at No. 163 Lowell street, Reading.

JOY, NOT SHELLS, FOR YANKEE DIVISION MEN

Just four years ago the Yankee Division was huddled in dugouts and shelter trenches along the Chemin des Dames in Northern France. They were receiving their baptism of fire. A string of German batteries opposite them were shelling with guns of all calibres. The Yankees were being "bloodied." Last night one hundred and fifty veterans who heard their first shriek of shells that night celebrated the fourth anniversary of the event at the Copley-Plaza hotel. The welkin rang with an entirely different sound, but hardly less noise.

BELIEVE BOSTON MURDER PLANNED IN DETROIT

Testimony of experts that the handwriting in Black Hand letters received by a Cameron victim is identical with that in letters from Detroit found on a suspect held by the Boston police has started a search in Detroit for clews in a number of recent Boston cases. Detroit officials admit there is an elaborate organization there which plans and carries out slayings in other cities. It is believed that the slaying of Michael Scapoli, in Boston, on January 20, in which Antonio Frascotti is held without bail, was planned in Detroit.

CALLS ON IRISH TO 'UPHOLD REPUBLIC'

Roger Casement Society Here Cables Its Views to Eamon De Valera

Jeremiah Carroll, president of the Roger Casement Society of Boston, today sent the following radiogram to Eamon De Valera, president of Sinn Fein, and former president of the Irish Republic:

"We trust the Irish people by their votes will uphold the Republic."

The radiogram is based upon the following resolution adopted by the Roger Casement Society at the last meeting of the society:

"The Irish people can fulfill their destiny only as an independent, sovereign nation. Not only does Ireland need independence, but its independence is vital to the self-respect of the Irish race throughout the world.

"The Irish people appeal to us, their kindred in the United States, through Eamon De Valera and numerous other envoys, to aid them in upholding the Irish Republic, which they have self-determined. This we shall continue to do by every proper resource available.

"We now in turn, appeal to the Irish people to show to Ireland and the world that their self-determination means security, by supporting the Republic which they have established at the referendum on the London treaty."

Copies of these resolutions are being mailed to the Irish papers and to the Irish leaders.

Numerous bodies of Irish organizations throughout the United States are cabling similar messages to Ireland.

UNIVERSITY OF MAINE ALUMNI GATHER

N. H. MAYO PRES. BOSTON ALUMNI
CHAS. N. TAYLOR 1891
EVERETT MORSS PRES. BOSTON CHAMBER OF COMMERCE
OUR MAIN TROUBLE IS THAT WE HAVE NO PRESIDENT
EUGENE L. FOLSOM 1894
PHILIP STROUT
FRANK A. SPRATT 1880
COL. F. H. STRICKLAND PRES. BOARD OF TRUSTEES UNIVERSITY OF MAINE

HARMONY SKETCHES AT BANQUET

GAS BOMBS ROUT POLICE AND REPORTERS

Exhibition Clears Out Pemberton Square Headquarters of Newspaper Men

Police Superintendent Michael H. Crowley and a number of his aides, together with a group of newspaper men, had an opportunity to get first-hand information on the workings and effectiveness of the new tear bomb, when officials of a company which offers them for sale, demonstrated them at police headquarters.

President Frank C. Hughes of the Lewis Hughes Company, was present with W. S. LaLonde, also of the company, to show the superintendent just how the tear bombs work, and why they are useful in breaking up mobs or driving criminals out of buildings where they have hidden.

Together with Inspector James A. Dennessey, Captain Charles W. Searles, Sergeant Farley and the headquarters reporters, Superintendent Crowley led the company's representatives into the press room for the demonstration. Hughes tossed a grenade into a corner of the room, announcing that it would clear the place in three minutes.

Before that time limit expired the reporters had fled. Crowley came out last, gasping, choking and crying, after four and one-half minutes. Other bombs were then exploded on the front steps, for photographers.

The fumes from the press room leaked out and permeated the entire building. Janitor Elliot and another janitor beat a hasty retreat.

It was many minutes before the fumes cleared away from the press room. Occupants of upstairs offices were disturbed for a time by the gas, and more tears were shed at headquarters than for many a weary day.

FRESH FROM PARIS

Paris, France.

ONE of Patou's newest and most formal evening gowns is made over a black satin slip, which is draped with a series of panels. A slender strip of silver lace rises above the satin corsage band to make the bodice, and this same strip is bleased at the waistline and forms the front panel of the skirt, which is a little longer than the black satin underskirt. Panels of silver cloth rounded at the ends are hung over each hip, and down the centre of each of these side panels a strip of silver braid depends. The back of the bodice, cut nearly to the waist, is supported by long strips of jet crossing to each shoulder.

PATOU again designs for the evening, and this time succeeds in being youthful without an effort. The bodice of a little frock of violet chiffon is given a yoke-like silver lace collar, and the lace reappears in a band edging the front panel of the skirt. There are narrow, detached panels of the chiffon edged with silver balls, at each side of the front panel, and beyond those loops of faille ribbon in a matching shade of violet ascend the skirt.

WALDEN'S DOGS ON LAST LAP IN THE LEAD

Lebel Uses Six Mongrels in Effort to Overcome Eskimos' Advantage

By Associated Press.

Lancaster, N. H., Feb. 4.—A thirty-two-mile stretch over hard roads lay before the three dog teams that started from here this morning on the run to Berlin, on the last lap of the 120-mile international race.

The Eskimo huskies of Arthur T. Walden of Wonalancet, with a twenty-minute time advantage over the mongrels of Jean Lebel, gained in the first two days' racing, were last away. They mushed out half an hour after Lebel had disappeared over the hill. First to leave was Jacques Suzanne, the Lake Placid, N. Y., driver, so far behind in time that he was admittedly out of the contest for first or second places. Suzanne left an hour before Lebel.

All the dogs were eager for the start. Those of Walden especially waited most impatiently for the word "Go," and when it was given scamped down the trail and over the hill in a brisk trot that proclaimed them fit for the hard hills and snow-hurried trail that lay ahead.

The Friendly Glow

SOME people say, "Don't cross the bridge until you come to it."

We had rather reverse the old adage and have you hurry your troubles to us. That we may improve Edison Service for you. That we may, through your help, save others a similar experience.

The Edison Electric Illuminating Company of Boston

How Many Pounds Would You Like to Gain In 1 Week?

Through this new, scientific discovery anybody now can have a plump, trim figure.

Amazing Scientific Discovery of Vitamines Quickly Builds Up Thin, Scrawny Figures—No Drugs or Dieting Necessary—Quick Relief For Tired, Worn-Out People.

VITAMINES—those mysterious substances found in certain foods, are now agreed, by the best scientific minds in the country, to be primarily responsible for building firm flesh and producing vigor and vitality. Lack of vitamines in the daily diet causes nervousness, loss of weight and vitality, headaches and many of the deficiency diseases, such as skin eruptions, emaciation, rickets, scurvy and pellagra.

Quick Relief—No Drugs or Dieting

But when Alexander Vitamines are added to the diet, the results are amazing in their rapidity. Within a few days an emaciated, scrawny form begins to round out—bony angles and ugly hollows disappear. Your weight quickly becomes what it should be according to your build. Indigestion, constipation and insomnia are now a handicap become firm flesh and muscle—rich, red blood is produced—the whole body machinery functions perfectly because the food you eat is converted in the proper channels of energy.

Gained 3½ Pounds In 4 Days

"I tested the pounds the first four days I took Alexander Vitamines and am still a mere skeleton, but I have now increased to weigh 3½ pounds and feel like a different person. I will keep using Alexander Vitamines and advising all my thin and scrawny friends to use them."

Gains 8 Pounds Quickly

"Alexander Vitamines have increased my weight 8 pounds and done wonders for my complexion. I am going to keep on taking them, for they are the first thing I ever tried that would put weight on me, and I had tried every thing I read about. I feel better, too, since taking the Vitamines, and can do more work. It would suit every scrawny, nervous woman to take Alexander Vitamines."

Generous Sample FREE

Send No Money

I want everyone to have an opportunity to try Alexander Vitamines in their own homes at no expense. To introduce these vitamines to a million new homes we gladly will send a free sample to all who write for it. I want to make it plain that this does not cost a cent, nor does it put you under any obligation whatever. Merely send me your name and address today—a post card will do if you wish. I will send you the sample postpaid absolutely FREE.

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BEAUTY TO TAKE DIVORCE FIGHT TO RENO

Mrs. Woodhouse to Counter Husband With Separate Maintenance Suit

Burlington, Vt., Feb. 4.—Mrs. Dorrit Van Deusen Stevens Woodhouse, who recently filed a $1,000,000 alienation suit against her husband's parents, is preparing to go to Reno Nev., where the next chapter in the marital warfare of the Woodhouses will be staged.

Mrs. Woodhouse has retained counsel to combat what she declares to be the plan of her husband to marry Mrs. Lillian Hendrick McClelland, a "Reno widow" and prominent in Washington society.

Mrs. Woodhouse, who is now in Westfield, Mass., with her mother and aunt, has filed a suit for separate maintenance at Reno. This, she asserts, will compel her husband to support her and will prevent both parties from marrying again.

On February 14 the taking of testimony will be begun in Reno in the suit of the husband, Charles Douglas Woodhouse, for a divorce. He charges intolerable severity and desertion.

ACCUSES "IN-LAWS."

In her latest suit, Mrs. Woodhouse sets up the same claims she made in her alienation suit. She alleges that the parents of Woodhouse sought by various means to estrange her from her husband. She asserts that during the Winter of 1920 Woodhouse lived in Washington in order to have daily meetings with Mrs. McClelland.

The alienation suit will be tried in Burlington. Depositions for it are now being taken in various parts of the world.

The Woodhouse family is considered the wealthiest in Burlington. C. D. Woodhouse is prominent in local society, as well as in that of New York and Washington. His father, Lorenzo E., is many times a millionaire. He is a banker of this city and New York.

Mrs. McClelland is remarkably beautiful. She was once reported engaged to G. Vail Converse, millionaire clubman and grandson of the late Theodore N. Vail, head of the American Telephone and Telegraph Company.

Mrs. Woodhouse charges that, when she encountered her husband and his alleged soulmate on the streets of Washington, she pursued them and that her husband won the foot race and entered Mrs. McClelland's apartment and that the young divorcee entered later and shut the door in her face.

CALLED MOST BEAUTIFUL.

This friendship with Mrs. McClelland, Mrs. Woodhouse charges, was encouraged by her husband's father. She insists that the snobbery of her "in-laws" and her lack of money were responsible for the drive made against her.

Mrs. Woodhouse was acclaimed the most beautiful girl in Burlington when she first met her husband here three years ago. He was at the time pursuing the banking profession at his father's institution. But he threw business cares to the winds when he met the beautiful Dorrit Stevens. When Woodhouse returned from duty with the Signal Corps in the war they were married in New York.

BUSINESS MUST DIG ITSELF OUT, SAYS MORSS

Chamber President Tells College Men Prosperity Will Come If Everyone Works

"We're down and out and we've got to dig our way out," Everett Morss, Boston Chamber of Commerce president, told members of the Boston Alumni Association, University of Maine, at a dinner at the City Club.

"You college men as representing the best brains in the country must get this idea firmly imbued in you.

"Do you believe that good times exist of themselves just ahead, but rather that you can bring them by fight for them.

"Everybody has a job to do. Let him do it. Then we will have prosperity.

President N. H. Mayo, '69, presided. Colonel F. H. Strickland, president of the board of trustees of the university, told of the financial troubles it has had, but spoke encouragingly of the present prospects. Robert H. Bryant, '15, graduate manager, discussed the athletic situation, and said he believed the freshman rule, which goes into effect next year, will benefit the teams.

W. D. Towner, '14, alumni secretary, in speaking of the many personal services rendered by his office, told of arranging all the details of marriage for one romantic alumnus.

Joseph McCuster, '15, led the cheering, and there were several entertainers. L. F. Pike was chairman of the committee in charge, and was assisted by J. T. Corning, Joseph T. McCusker and Philip Strout.

HYDE PARK MUNICIPAL BUILDING DEDICATED

The new Hyde Park Municipal Building, costing $355,000, has been dedicated and will be used as a community centre. The building is at Central avenue and River street. Mayor and Mrs. Peters, Fred J. Kneeland, superintendent of buildings, and Francis W. Darling, president of the Hyde Park Board of Trade, took part in the dedication.

MAN DIES FOLLOWING COLLAPSE ON STREET

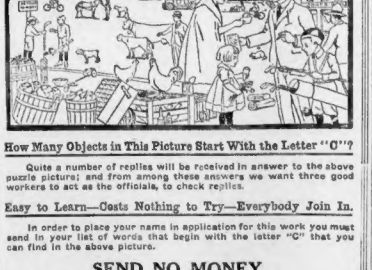
Joseph McLaughlin, fifty years old and single, residing at No. 71 Carver street, South End, collapsed suddenly while standing at the corner of Washington and Castle streets. His body was removed to the Southern Mortuary. Death is thought to have been due to natural causes.

45 LIONS RESCUED, TO ENTER HAMBURG ZOO

Hamburg, Feb. 4.—Forty-five lion tamed by the Hagenbeck Circus in its "quo vadis" spectacle, threatened with starvation when their cars were aban doned in the freight yards here at the beginning of the railroad strike, have been rescued by the Technische Nothilfe, a relief organization. A number of the animals were transported to the Municipal Zoo in requisitioned wagons and arrangements were made to feed the others in the railroad yards.

EARN $1,000.00

We want three capable workers who can award big cash prizes fairly and quickly—$1,000.00 to each as a salary for a few days' work.



How Many Objects in This Picture Start With the Letter "C"?

Quite a number of replies will be received in answer to the above puzzle picture; and from among these answers we want three good workers to act as the officials, to check replies.

Easy to Learn—Costs Nothing to Try—Everybody Join In.

In order to place your name in application for this work you must send in your list of words that begin with the letter "C" that you can find in the above picture.

SEND NO MONEY

After you have completed your list of words, fill in the coupon below, pin it to your list and mail at once.

MAYER CO., Minneapolis, Minn. Date.....

Enclosed find my answer to the "C" word picture puzzle. I am making application for the position as one of the officials, at a salary of $1,000.00 for a few days' work. Send me full instructions FREE.

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Address .....

Town..... State.....

Send your application to Puzzle Dept.

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"BACK PAY"

The Man Orders the Dance—Does the Woman Pay the Piper?

SUCH HAS BEEN THE CUSTOM FOR AGES AND TODAY

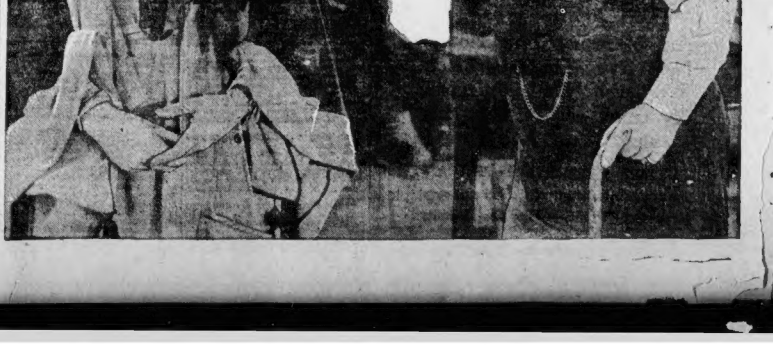
The story of a woman's deferred payments—payments for her experience in the by-ways of a man of the world—a world into which she has stepped with open eyes and a determination to live the life of her selection.

A REMARKABLE CAST HEADED BY SEENA OWEN AND MATT MOORE

STORY By FANNIE HURST. DIRECTED BY FRANK BORZAGE. SCENARIO BY FRANCES MARION. SETTINGS BY JOSEPH URBAN.

NEXT WEEK **GORDON'S OLYMPIA** WASHINGTON STREET

Presented by Famous Players-Lasky Corporation. It's a Paramount Picture



WHITE TRUST FUND PUBLIC FORUM URGED

Publicists Also Suggest Using $7,000,000 Gift for Parks in Poorer Districts

A public forum and parks in the congested districts would be the greatest benefit Boston might derive from the George R. White $7,500,000 trust fund, in the opinion of a number of prominent men interviewed by the Boston American.

The public forum was among the needed improvements which Mr. White mentioned in his will, as examples of how the money should be spent. Other suggestions were geological gardens, handsome buildings, and aquariums.

The probable income from the vast fund is estimated as ranging from $300,000 to $500,000 annually, and it is expressly stipulated that it must not be used for religious, educational or political purposes.

CURLEY WILL ACT.

Mayor-elect James M. Curley stated to the Boston American that the fund will receive his earliest attention after assuming office.

"No action can be taken by the city relative to the bequest of the late George R. White," said the mayor-elect, "until the City Council has been organized, and the name of an auditor approved by the Massachusetts Civil Service Commission. When these necessary steps have been taken I shall immediately call a meeting to comply with the provisions of the bequest."

In addition to a public forum, ex-Mayor John F. Fitzgerald suggested a horticultural building, a home for working girls, a new municipal lodging house, parks in the congested districts, stadiums for boys and girls, and musical concerts of the better type.

He said:

"A public forum should be the first consideration, as it was suggested by Mr. White. The zoological garden and zoo built during my administration should be added to or new ones established in other sections.

"A horticultural building should be erected in the Back Bay Fens, where the public could see for ten months the plants they now may gaze at for only a few months on the Common or Public Garden. The building might also be used for concerts, with a municipal organ and municipal orchestra, and only the higher type of music rendered. That would help to re-establish Boston as the musical centre.

CITY LODGING HOUSE.

"Boston ought to have a new municipal lodging house, where homeless men could get clean beds and good baths. In the congested sections of the city there should be small parks where children might play and mothers go with their babies in the hot weather.

"Stadiums for boys and girls might be erected and I would suggest the erection of tasteful bandstands in different sections of the city.

"I would emphasize the need of a home for working girls, where they could get their board at cost. The fund would take care of the building and the city could provide the accommodations and food through trustees.

"Twenty concerts of good music might also be given in halls. It should be the better class of music as there is too much jazz at present. I hope the White Fund will be used to emphasize and re-establish Boston's place in music, literature and the arts.

JUDGE FAVORS FORUM.

Judge Michael J. Murray of the Municipal Court:

"This generous act represents probably the greatest benefaction in the history of the life of Boston. I regret, indeed, that I must admit I never had heard of this good man who, after all, is the type of man who achieve much in the world, are without vanity, and set us all a fine example of what a man of large means may do to help along his fellow citizens.

"It makes one feel happy indeed to boast of such an one as a fellow countryman. This fund, wisely administered, as it is sure to be, will be responsible for much comfort and delight in all the generations of Bostonians yet to be. After all, Mr. White appears to have lived for the benefit of his fellow citizens, and higher praise can be spoken of no man.

"The construction, for instance, of a forum, where people might gather to discuss and hear discussed by high authorities, questions of public import, would be of incalculable influence to Boston, while at the same time it would be a most appropriate memorial to the deceased."

CONVENTION HALL URGED.

William T. A. Fitzgerald, register of deeds:

"I think it would be an excellent idea to beautify the slums and benefit the people by establishing small parks in the congested 'slum' areas. It would be no help to the park system, but it would mean much in the lives of the people to wipe out some of the blank spots. The people in those sections would surely appreciate it."

James A. McKibben, executive secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, said:

"The poverty of the city in the matter of proper convention halls is proverbial, and, with the exception of Faneuil Hall, the charge for such halls as we do possess are too high. Many large conventions have been driven away from the city by the prohibitive rents demanded by the owners of some of our largest convention halls.

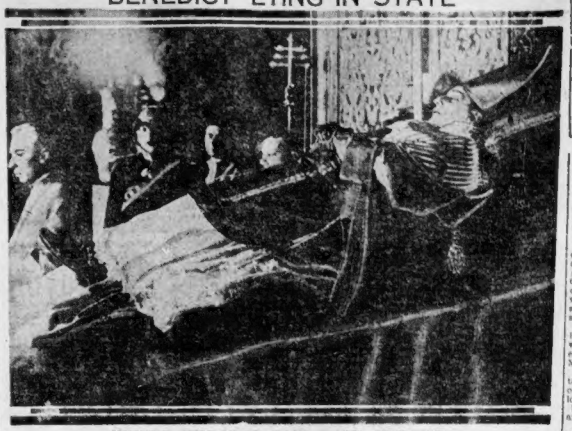
"For this reason Boston particularly needs a large convention hall, which can be obtained for a reasonable sum, to complement its many other attractions as a convention city. In fact until we do round out our attractions in this matter our city will not get the really big conventions that are held every year in all the other large cities in the country.

"What I have said does not take into account the need for a forum for large meetings that are strictly local in character, but this need is also pressing."

BABSON PURCHASES MORE WELLESLEY LAND

The Babson Building Organization of Wellesley has purchased from the Channing Sanatorium several acres of land situated between Wellesley avenue and Beaver street at a point opposite the entrance to the sanatorium. It is stated that no plans have been made for the immediate improvement of this property.

FIRST PHOTOGRAPH OF THE LATE POPE BENEDICT LYING IN STATE



WHERE THRONGS PAID LAST TRIBUTE

Before this bier in St. Peter's at Rome passed thousands of all ranks in life who held His Holiness in utmost reverence and affection. (Photograph by International.)

MILL STRIKES IN RHODE ISLAND SPREAD

Indications That Textile Workers at Manchester, N. H., Will Not Accept Reduction

Lonsdale, R. I., Feb. 4.—About 150 employes of the Lincoln Bleachery, a Goddard plant, walked out today in protest against the wage reduction. This necessitated the closing of some departments, and labor men predicted the entire plant, which employs 400, would be closed later.

Manchester, N. H., Feb. 4.—Another industrial war is indicated by the request by Dennis M. Flemming, president of the Manchester Textile Council, that the emergency council of the Textile Workers of America with which the local organization is affiliated, grant permission for a strike.

This action was taken, declared Flemming, in view of the announced wage cut in the pay of the 10,000 employs of the Amoskeag and Stark Mills of this city.

It is probable that the plans for taking a strike vote will have been completed by Monday. The first ballot is set for tomorrow evening, and he how fixers are to vote Monday, and the wool sorters Tuesday.

A meeting of the Manchester Textile Council is to be held tomorrow.

Vice-President Starr of the United Textile Workers of America is due here this evening to investigate the situation. He will speak at the Textile Council meeting tomorrow night can be made.

Find Way to Make Iron and Steel Rust Proof

By Associated Press.

New York, Feb. 4.—Discovery of a method by which iron and steel may be made rust proof was announced by Dr. Miller Reese Hutchinson, inventor and engineer, in an address at Cooper Union.

Chief credit for the discovery was given to W. B. Ballantine, an English metallurgist.

Dr. Hutchison explained that the method consisted of manufacturing material which when mixed with molten steel or iron makes it entirely rust proof and to a great extent even acid proof.

"This material," he said, "is known to the metallurgical world as chromium. It is found in crude state in many parts of the world.

"A large use to which this material can be put is in the manufacture of a low-priced automobile which will not have to be painted."

CAPE BRETON MINERS TO RETURN TO WORK

Sydney, N. S., Feb. 4.—Approximately 1,000 Cape Breton miners who have been unemployed for two months will go back to work on Tuesday, when the Dominion Coal Company reopens three large mines that closed down about the first of December. Other mines will start production as soon as arrangements

TWO IN LIQUOR SEIZURE ARE FINED $2200

Car Driver by Chelsea Men Is Seized; Wife of Prisoner Faints

Port and, Me., Feb. 4.—Two of the heavies fines ever imposed in cases involving violations of the liquor laws were imposed here in the Municipal Court today on two Massachusetts men.

Joseph A. Kirby and Daniel H. McGlaughlin of Chelsea, Mass., were fined $1,100 each, and in addition an auto in which they were caught was confiscated by the State.

Mrs. Mary Frances Kirby, wife of one of the prisoners, who was in the machine, was discharged. A charge of unlawful possession against her was not pressed. Prior to her arraignment Mrs. Kirby fainted, but was revived and assisted into the courtroom. The officers covered the State road from Boston last night when the Massachusetts authorities notified them that a car stolen in Boston was headed for this city.

The machine carrying the trio from Chelsea was halted by the officers and searched. Ten cans, containing five gallons each, were found in the rear of the machine.

The Japanese Way To Remove Corns Don't Hurt a Bit--Easy and Simple

The Magic Touch of Ice-Mint Does It. Just a Touch Stops Screness, Then the Corn or Callous Shrivels and Lifts Off. Try it. Your Feet Will Feel Cool and Fine.

Just a touch of Ice-mint and "Oh!" what relief. Corns and callouses vanish, soreness disappears and you can dance all night or walk all day and your corns won't hurt a bit. No matter what you have tried or how many times you have been disappointed here is a real help for you at last. From the very second that Ice-mint touches that sore, tender corn your poor tired, aching feet will feel so cool, easy and comfortable that you will just sigh with relief. Think of it; just a little touch of that delightful, cooling Ice-mint and real foot joy is yours. No matter how old or tough your pet corn is he will shrivel right up and you can pick him out after a touch of Ice-mint. No pain, not a bit of soreness, either when applying it or afterwards, and it doesn't even irritate the skin.

Ice-mint is the real Japanese secret of fine healty, little feet. Prevents foot odors and keeps them cool, sweet and comfortable. It is now selling like wildfire here.

Just ask in any drug store for a little Ice-mint and give your poor suffering, tired feet the treat of their lives. There is nothing better, nor nothing "just as good."—Advertisement.

MRS. LYDIG SAYS SHE WAS BEATEN BY STOKES

Society Woman Says Millionaire Mistreated Her While She Was His Wife

By Universal Service.

New York, Feb. 4. — Mrs. Rita D'Acosta Lydig, prominent figure in fashionable society here, took the witness stand in the suit through which Mrs. Helen Elwood Stokes is fighting William Earl Dodge Stokes, formerly, and at different times the husband of both women, for dower rights in his vast fortune.

Annoyed, reluctantly, yet perfectly poised, Mrs. Lydig managed to startle the court room again and again, when she told of her recent dealings with the aged millionaire.

The high moment of her testimony hung on the assertion that Stokes beat her when she was his wife. Results were painful, she declared. That he struck her often she frankly admitted.

BEATEN WITH JACKET.

Her statement that the old hotel owner promised her $25,000 no longer ago than last January brought a flush of anger to the beautiful young face of Mrs. Helen Elwood Stokes, who sat directly facing the woman who preceded her in the life and home of Stokes.

Mrs. Lydig would not say that her former husband struck her with a whip. She testified:

"He beat me with a jacket on which there were buttons. It was very painful."

Isadore Gainsburg, attorney for Stokes, asked the witness if she ever had stated in writing, under oath, that Stokes had beaten her. She replied that she may have written it in letters, and added:

"No, this is the first time Mr. Stokes ever subpoenaed me."

ENGAGED TO RECTOR.

One of America's most beautiful women, Mrs. Lydig, came prominently into the public eye last September, when her engagement to wed the Rev. Percy Stickney Grant, rector of the Church of the Ascension in New York, was announced. News of the engagement raised a storm throughout the Episcopal Church, and it was said that the rector would be barred from preaching if he married her, because of the canon of his church, which forbids the marriage of a divorced person.

Prior to her first marriage, Mrs. Lydig was the famous Spanish beauty, Rita Hernandez de Acosta. Her marriage to Stokes came when she was but sixteen years old, and after divorcing him she married Major Philip M. Lydig, only to divorce him in 1912.

She has always been prominent in New York and Boston society.

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90 P. C. of World's Attar Supply in Danger

By Associated Press.

Philippopolis, Bulgaria, Feb. 4. —Bulgaria's famous valley of roses, which produces 90 per cent. of the world's supply of the fragrant attar, faces extinction.

More than half the bushes in the entire area at the foot of the Balkan mountains, covering thousands of acres, are affected with a disease resembling phylloxera. The Minister of Agriculture is offering prizes for the discovery of a remedy.

Last year's yield of the rose essence was only 3,000 kilograms (about 6,500 pounds).

The wholesale price of oil of roses, at the current rate of exchange, is equivalent to about $125 a pound. In New York it sells for about five times this amount.

TANKER HAS CRIPPLED STEAMSHIP IN TOW

Halifax, N. S., Feb. 4.—The British oil tanker Suwaree is heading for Halifax with the rudderless Swedish steamer Thyra in tow, was the word received here by wireless. The Suwaree arrived alongside the Thyra yesterday afternoon, the ships being then 240 miles east of Halifax. The steamer Sable Island, which started to go to the assistance of the Thyra, put in at St. John's, N. F., and apparently will not continue her quest.

BRIGHT AND COLD FOR SUNDAY IS FORECAST

Bright skies and cold, snappy weather is the prediction for tonight and tomorrow, according to Forecaster Smith. He expects the temperature to fall tonight and that by morning the mercury will be between 15 and 25 degrees above zero. Boston was the warmest city in New England today with the thermometer registering 32 degrees at 8 a. m.

RAIN OR SNOW SEEN FOR FIRST OF WEEK

Washington, Feb. 4.—Weather predictions for the week beginning Monday in North and Middle Atlantic States: Rains over Southern and snows or rains over Northern portions at the beginning of the week, and on Friday or Saturday; otherwise fair with temperatures near normal.

COX TRIES TO END DEADLOCK ON BUILDING

Seeks Agreement Between Union Labor and Employers to Stimulate Construction

An effort to break the deadlock which has existed in Boston for a year between union labor and master builders was made today by Governor Cox when he conferred with many persons at the State House and urged that the various interests get together to stimulate the building of dwelling houses.

"It is agreed," said Governor Cox, at the conclusion of his conference, "that the building industry will be the basis of everything else and that until that industry is going normally we can't expect action in other lines. It seems to be the time to bring the parties together to see if the misunderstandings of the past cannot be straightened out and give way to a spirit of co-operations."

The Governor said his attention was called to a plan which is working well in New York, whereby every workman employed in construction of dwellings that will house not more than four families is giving free one hour of his time daily. This plan, according to the Governor, has stimulated the construction of dwellings.

"My purpose in calling these various people to my office today was to see if this plan now being worked out successfully in New York wouldn't work in Boston."

PRESIDENT HARDING TO GET CRUMB PIE

Indianapolis, Feb. 4.—When United States Senator Harry S. New and Mrs. New return to Washington, they will take with them a crumb pie to be delivered to President Harding with the compliments of Mrs. Mary Moore of Westfield, Ind. Speaking at a reception during his campaign for retention of his senatorial seat, Mr. New said the President often had expressed a wish that he could find some woman who could make a crumb pie like his grandmother used to bake. Mrs. Moore said she had been baking such pies for twenty-five years and was certain she could please Mr. Harding.

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Watch the papers for announcements of other Goods.

ARLISS AND 'LILIOM' NEW ATTRACTIONS MONDAY.

Two brilliant dramatic offerings will be added to Boston's theatrical bill of fare next Monday when the Theatre Guild production of "Liliom" comes to the Wilbur, and George Arliss in "The Green Goddess," the remarkable melodrama by William Archer, the famous English critic, begins an engagement at the Plymouth.

"Liliom" is a wierd and fascinating drama from the Hungarian, which employs Joseph Schildkraut and Eva Le Gallienne, two of the most brilliant of the younger actors. Its settings run from earth to heaven and back again. It is comedy, tragedy, farce and pure insanity, and it made one of the biggest hits in years in New York.

The Theatre Guild is a Big Dream Come True

The Theatre Guild of New York, which has come into amazing prominence in the theatre, is presenting Franz Molnar's play, "Liliom" at the Shubert-Wilbur Theatre. There is a full-fledged Board of Directors, a Board of Managers, and an Advisory Committee to keep the child from going astray.

The personnel of these boards are some of New York's most capable playwrights, artists, actors and young producers. The Guild is financed on the co-operative basis and not for private profit, as is the case with all other Manhattan theatricals. The surplus money from the box office, after the loans, the salaries, the scenery and the furniture are paid for, is devoted to signing longer leases, buying better scenery and more furniture —a sort of house that Jack built. The Guild is proving that the Art Theatre, so common on the continent that two of its kind are seen in nearly every hamlet, is also popular in New York. It is the only Art Theatre strictly speaking, in America. The Guild Art Theatre is not endowed. It is self-made and self-supporting.

The members and patrons of the Guild have found this contrast to the usual theatrical production a pleasant relief. It has been a triumph in art, a theatre of which New York may be wholly proud. Some of the success of the Theatre Guild have become "Honds of Interest" their first endeavor, "John Ferguson," "Jane Clegg," "The Faithful," Tolstoy's "Power of Darkness," Shaw's "Heartbreak House."

George Arliss Only Actor Who Has Honorary Degree

George Arliss, star of Winthrop Ames' production of "The Green Goddess," is the only actor in this country entitled to write the letters M. A. after his name. The degree was bestowed upon him by Columbia University at the June, 1919, commencement.

To but few other actors has a similar honor come. Gilland, one can recall but two—Sir Johnston Forbes Robertson and the late Sir Henry Irving. Johnston has retired to private life, leaving Mr. Arliss as the lone representative, by official recognition of the new and justly deserved attitude of respect which institutions of learning feel for players of intelligence and histrionic ability.

Mr. Arliss' achievement of this unique distinction is the result of long years of devot on to studying the art of acting and perfecting his own special gifts in that direction. He has worked long and hard, sparing himself in giving the public such detailed truthful and carefully etched characterizations as Zakkuri in "The Darling of the Gods," Raoul Berton in "Leah Kleschna," the title roles in "The Devil," "Disraeli," "Richelieu," "Hamilton," etc. It is not unlikely that in Raja in "The Green Goddess" will rank with the best of them as an example of the star's ability to give flesh and blood reality to imaginative characters.

"More Money, Less Fun" on Stage Nowadays

"More money and less fun" is the way James McIntyre, appearing with his old partner, Thomas Heath, in the musical comedy, "Red Pepper," at the Wilbur Theatre, describes present-day theatrical business compared with that of the past.

"The theatre has become more commercialized, although better, too," said Mr. McIntyre. "It used to be that we followed the game more for the fun of it than anything else. And the fun was about all most of us did get out of it, because the pay was very small. Now the salaries are larger and are the main interest of the people.

"We used to have regular gathering places after the show, and I have seen almost a whole act of a play made up while the gang was sitting around a table. 'I have some good lines, but I need a new joke, some one would say. 'Here's a corker,' would come the reply of a companion, and they would exchange gags and other suggestions until they would almost reconstruct their parts."

McIntyre and Heath have been associated for so long that even their names have become fused, and one loses most of its identity when divorced from the other.

Gillette Enjoys Melodrama for a Change

Every actor, who really amounts to anything, after he passes a certain point in his career, likes to play melodrama—real old-fashioned melodrama, the kind the "gods," when there were "gods" in the theatre, loved. Some one some time (except the one) has said the only people to know good rock things—and certainly it is true. Those who trying to secure the originals in "La Boheme" and here is William Gillette in "The Dream Maker."

Ask Mr. Gillette himself what "The Dream Maker" is and no doubt he'll tell you quite frankly that it is melodrama. Of course it is. He ought to know—he wrote it himself for himself and there is no one who ever saw Mr. Gillette play "Sherlock Holmes" or the spy in "Secret Service" who can have any doubt of the sort of play he likes to write for himself. Of course, there is comedy in it, too, and a certain care about details that makes it more or less realistic, in other words, it follows the formula of "Sherlock Holmes" pretty closely and it is just as interesting to the average theatre-goer as that famous play used to be.

John Thomas Talks on Success

It may be true that nothing succeeds like success. But on the other hand—take it from John Charles Thomas—nothing impedes like success also.

Mr. Thomas, who is the popular baritone, matinee idol of the hour, appearing for a limited engagement only in Shubert vaudeville, and who will headline the big bill at the Majestic the coming week, has also scored a great success recently in recital, first at the New York Hippodrome, where he gave a joint recital with Mischa Elman, and more recently at Aeolian Hall New York, and at Symphony Hall in Boston.

Mr. Thomas' success comes after eight years of work as a church choir singer and musical comedy star. And Mr. Thomas confesses that the one great difficulty which he has had to fight to keep his ambition from waning is the satisfaction induced by stage success.

"I know many singers, men and women, with splendid voices, who started out to sing at the Metropolitan and are now singing small parts in musical comedies because success on the stage came quickly and they were not willing to stick to the regime and study, which the life of a singer necessitates," declared Mr. Thomas. "Consequently, after a few seasons of Broadway excitement and flattery they drop back to minor roles because their voices, without care, cannot stand the strain of evening performances."

But Mr. Thomas, when at the age of seventeen he renounced the medical course for which he had already matriculated at Johns Hopkins and decided to enter the Peabody Conservatory of Music instead, has gone straight forward toward his goal as an artist.

There's to Be a Billie Burke Theatre

That the return of Billie Burke to the speaking stage after her essay into the "movies" is to be a permanent thing, is evidenced by the fact that her husband, Florenz Ziegfeld, Jr., the creator of the "Follies," proposes to build for his wife as an intimate playhouse of her own. It is to be in New York, somewhere above the "roaring forties," and it will bear Billie Burke's name. It is designed to have a playhouse something after the fashion of the Henry Miller Theatre, except that the balcony will be smaller, and the entire atmosphere more intimate. As to the plays to be presented, Miss Burke is anxious to play real Amerie can comedies, and is eager to see any manuscripts which the authors think suitable to her talents. It is already says that she is so dazzled by the prospect of having a playhouse of her own that she has scarce been able to give a thought to the plays to be presented. But one thing she is certain of, and that is that she will have an opportunity—and will take it—to play "The School for Scandal" and Ibsen's "A Doll's House."

Decided to Jump Over Something Less Expensive

Expense doesn't bother Fred Stone as a general thing, but he can be persuaded to draw the line. He had been practicing steadily and finally told Dillingham that he was prepared to jump over three elephants standing side by side in his next show.

"Great," said Dillingham. "We'll get the elephants."

And then the auditor came along and laid down some cold facts.

Elephants eat a ton of hay a day and hay costs $40 per ton.

Elephants have to travel in a special kind of railroad car.

In what stable could elephants be boarded in the various cities in which the show would play.

How many keepers it would be necessary to carry.

The total expense would be appalling.

"It would be all right if the elephants were necessary to the show," said Dillingham, "but for one jump, Fred couldn't you jump over something less expensive?"

And Fred thought he could.

Want to Get Rich? Bring Over British Lecturer

The show business is properly considered a gamble, but there is one feature of it which is always sure to succeed in Boston, bringing over prominent Englishmen or women to lecture. It doesn't matter whether they can lecture or not, whether they can speak above a whisper or not, whether they have anything to say or not, Boston is sure to provide a capacity house for such people, particularly if they have any social prominence in London.

Hilaire B. Casserton didn't even take the trouble to prepare anything for his lectures, and he began by making fun of the audience he came to bear them. Marcel Asquith, who cousin, he heard beyond the first few rows, blandly told those without the sound of her voice that they weren't missing much. Philip Gibbs, who has some ideas of his own, has a thin, squeaky voice, and his remarks are a mystery to most of his audiences.

These people all come here to get large quantities of American dollars, and what they give in return doesn't even interest them. And why should it, in Boston, where mere presence at one of these lectures is a social achievement.

The Stage
By E. J. McISAAC

IRENE RICHARD HOWARD SOMERVILLE HAYES

CHORUS GIRLS with McINTYRE and HEATH in "RED PEPPER" SHUBERT....

EVA LE GALLIENNE and EVELYN CHAND in "LILIOM" WILBUR

JOHN CHARLES THOMAS MAJESTIC...

BIG BARITONE SHUBERT STAR

The extraordinary feature to head the Shubert vaudeville bill the coming week at the Majestic Theatre will be none less than that popular light opera baritone and musical comedy star, John Charles Thomas, who plays a special limited vaudeville engagement of one week only prior to his departure for Europe to study for grand opera, under Jean De Reszke. Mr. Thomas needs no introduction to Boston audiences.

Another big feature will be George Libby and Ida May Sparrow in their elaborately produced and costumed dance and song travesty entitled "The Essence of Novelty" in which the pair in turn appear as "a traffic cop," "a Ziegfeld girl," "the O'Brien girl," "dancing pills," "a nurse," "a patient," "the Captain's kids in Egypt," etc.

Such a pronounced hit has been made by the original diminutive musical comedy, "Sally, Irene & Mary," in which Mabel Withee and her company appeared at the Majestic the past week, that it will be held over for one more week.

Eddie Dowling, who wrote this clever musical playlet and plays the leading male role in it, also stays over another week with his "ventrilloquial monologue.

A distinct novelty will be "The Ice Carnival" in which Alfred Naess and company appear in some extraordinary ice-skating feats.

BURTON HOLMES' "EXTRA"

As an "extra" travelogue at Symphony Hall this coming Saturday afternoon, Burton Holmes is to give "Venice and the Italian Lakes," a subject which lends itself to Mr. Holmes' celebrated illustrations, both of the moving and still, colored variety. Venice, the Queen of the Adriatic, is marvelously beautiful as a city: she is rich in architectural treasures and in works of art, both of the brush and sculptor's chisel. Her canals, her gondolas, her arching bridges, her magnificent open squares, palaces and churches are not only a delight to look upon but are also reminiscent of a splendid and romantic past, and breathe an atmosphere of the fair ladies, brave soldiers and sailors and history-making statesmen who have made history and romance at one and the same time, since Venice first rose from the sea.

"LILIOM" AT WILBUR MONDAY

The Theatre Guild's production of Franz Molnar's comedy of life, "Liliom," will open a limited engagement at the Shubert-Wilbur Theatre on Monday night, coming direct to Boston from its successful two seasons, in New York.

No play of recent years has elicited as much praise as this grippingly charming story of a Budapest vagabond and his love for the little Hungarian servant girl. The cast is headed by Joseph Schildkraut, who created a sensation a year ago in Boston in "Pagans," and Eva Le Gallienne, who was last seen here in the leading role of "Not So Long Ago."

The play "Liliom" originates in the merry-go-round of an Hungarian carnival; takes its characters through a night rendezvous in a beautiful but lonely park, through the privations of life in a tin type studio; the thrills of a hold-up along a railroad embankment; to the trial in God's Police Court, with a glimpse of Heaven and Purgatory; and leaves the spectator with a sense of having seen something different and lived something new.

Molnar will best be remembered by theatregoers for his play "The Devil," which was the first work of his facile and humorous pen to reach the American stage.

McISAAC says that

McINTYRE AND HEATH, in "Red Pepper," move from the Wilbur to the Shubert for a continuation of their successful run.

HELEN MacKELLAR, in "Back Bay," continues at the Selwyn Theatre. The Fannie Hurst romance makes an interesting play.

FRED STONE, in "Tip Top," has one of the best shows of its kind in years and is enjoying corresponding prosperity. Colonial.

WILLIAM GILLETTE, in "The Dream Maker," has a thrilling and amusing drama of crooks and detectives. Last week. Hollis.

"ORPHANS OF THE STORM," at the Tremont, revised version, with many new scenes, continues to pull big audiences.

"CONNECTICUT YANKEE IN KING ARTHUR'S COURT," at Tremont Temple, has proved a popular, as well as amusing, film.

"TEN NIGHTS IN A BARROOM," at the Globe, is proving that the famous old play has even more popularity as a film.

GEORGE ARLISS in "THE GREEN GODDESS" PLYMOUTH...

ROMANCE AT ST. JAMES THEATRE

"Just Suppose" which is to be played at the St. James Theatre this week is one of the sweetest, most wholesome, graceful romances ever written. E. E. Thomas in writ ng this play, surpassed all his previous efforts and turned out a play which always scores and audiences alike with its note of sympathy.

It is a story of youth and its love, its unstable ideals and fleeting gladness of happiness only for the moment. It is besides this a sparkling comedy that will not allow the tears to remain long before laughter conquers them.

SOMERVILLE PLAYERS

The management of the Somerville Players will transplant its large clientele to the Maine woods the coming week in the announcement that it will offer a brilliant revival of "The Cave Girl," a comedy in three acts written by George Middleton and Guy Bolton. "The Cave Girl" is a comedy of summer camp life in the Maine wilderness. It is full of action from beginning to end and the dialogue uproariously funny. Professor Orlando Sperry declares that no man need suffer hardships if thrown upon his own resources in the woods. To test his theory he and his wife and Margot, the primitive life in the Maine wilderness.

EDWARD HOWARD GRIGGS' LECTURES

The initial subject of the series of lectures by Edward Howard Griggs in Tremont Temple, beginning Saturday morning, February 18, will be "The Medieval World and the Life of Dante" as one portion of the general topic, "The Divine Comedy of Dante." On the following Saturday mornings the subjects will be "The Problem of the Divine Comedy," "The Inferno," "The Purgatorio," "The Two Types of Paradise" and "The Paradiso and the Beatific Vision."

STAGE COACH IN "ORPHANS" CURIOUS

Exact Dublicate of Ancient Vehicle Used Between Normandy and Paris

One of the most interesting of details in David W. Griffith's new photoplay, "Orphans of the Storm," which is being shown at the Tremont Theatre, is that of the traveling post coach in which Henriette and Louise, the two orphans, journey from their country home in Normandy to Paris.

Thus when he was to picture the ride of the two sisters he must have a coach perfectly in keeping with the fashion of the period. Of course, there were fashions in coaches as well as in wearing apparel. And French coaches in particular were said to have set a fashion for continental Europe. In fact, the makers of automobile bodies of this day have much to learn of the ingenuity practised by coach makers of olden days. One of the queens of France is said to have had a coach fitted with every convenience for traveling, not neglecting the stove, toilet articles, dining cabin and even a royal couch whereon she could sleep during a journey.

But the post coaches, as necessity demanded, were built very strongly and for most useful purposes to meet the demands of moving over the roads of France on long trips.

Thus it is that when the coach bearing Henriette and Louise is seen it is a great lumbering vehicle with horses of large, sturdy frame drawing it.

To denote Mr. Griffith's thoroughness in providing this coach it is said to be an exact duplicate of an ancient coach that traveled from Normandy to Paris, and it was known as the "Dusty Diligence," which in its translation sounds American enough.

Tugged Director's Coat-Sleeve, Became Famous

Mae Murray, star of "Peacock Alley," the production to be shown at the Park Theatre next week, got her start in the theatre by tugging at a stage director's coat sleeve.

The director was Julian Mitchell. He was putting on the "Ziegfeld Follies of 1908." One scene showed girls representing the ideals of various illustrators. The Gibson, Fisher, Christy and Gilbert girls were there. But there was no Nell Brinkley girl.

Mae Murray, then fifteen, knew she was the Nell Brinkley type. She heard of the "Follies" and had injected herself into the theatre.

Julian Mitchell became aware that a small, determined hand was plucking at his sleeve. A childlike voice pierced his not acute ear.

"Mr. Mitchell, please let me be a Nell Brinkley girl."

"Don't bother me, child; I'm busy with this number."

"But, Mr. Mitchell, Miss Brinkley's pictures are quite different. I love them. I've been covering them with tracing paper and doing them over. I know every one of her types. And I look like some of them. Can't you see that I do"

She held up a Brinkley drawing and held her own eager young face beside it.

"Um," said Mr. Mitchell. "Well, try it."

When the "Follies of 1908" opened in New York the Nell Brinkley girl was a distinct success. The critics praised her. The artist whose work she interpreted said: "She is the essence of Brinkley and one of my girls has gotten the idea exactly. She is very intelligent."

Edith and Theodore Roberts Not Related

Two players bearing the same surname, but are not related, appear in Cecil B. De Mille's latest Paramount picture, "Saturday Night," which will be the headline feature photoplay at Keith's next week. They are Edith Roberts and Theodore Roberts. Although both have been associated with the same company of capable players for several years, this picture marks their first simultaneous appearance. To further add to the confusion, Theodore Roberts should play the part of Edith Roberts' father in this picture. Fortunately for him he was not possible and so, instead, the two Roberts players appear in the role of Leslries Joy's uncle, Jeanie Macpherson, author of the picture, has written Edith Roberts' part for the primitive life in the Maine wilderness.

Mark Twain's Humor Skillfully Preserved

Mark Twain's humor is largely based upon incongruity and contrast. "A Connecticut Yankee in King Arthur's Court," of which the special William Fox film version is now playing to capacity audiences at Tremont Temple, is crammed with examples. It is said to be the finished thing Twain ever wrote, yet it contains a carefully reasoned argument. Mark was never at a loss for an answer. One day he was telling a group of friends about a wonderful lake he had seen in Colorado. "The water is so clear," he said, "that you could see a ten-cent piece on the bottom at a depth of 100 fathoms." A stony silence followed. Mark glanced around. "Well," he said, "I assure you that if you threw a ten-dollar bill into the lake it could plainly be seen on the surface."

"OVER THE HILL"

William Fox's sensational photoplay triumph, "Over the Hill," adapted from Will Carleton's famous "Farm Ballads" which scored a tremendous run earlier in the season, will be shown tomorrow for one day only at the Globe Theatre. The first performance of this heart-throbbing production dealing with maternal love divine, begins immediately after the doors are thrown open at 1.30 and will be shown continuously until 10.30 at night.

BILLIE BURKE RETURNS

Miss Billie Burke, one of the prettiest and most charming stars of the American stage, has been away from the speaking stage just long enough to whet the appetite of her multitudinous admirers for her return. She comes back to Boston for only two weeks at the Hollis Street Theatre, February 13, in a new comedy by Booth Tarkington, "The Intimate

MAE MURRAY in "PEACOCK ALLEY" PARK

HARRY TIERS in "A CONNECTICUT YANKEE" TREMONT TEMPLE

Scene from "TEN NIGHTS IN A BAR ROOM"—GLOBE

NEW DE MILLE FILM PLAY AT ORPHEUM NEXT WEEK

SCENE FROM "SATURDAY NIGHT"

One of the finest pictures produced in many a day is Cecil B. De Mille's newest Paramount production of "Saturday Night" announced as the stellar attraction for Loew's Orpheum Theatre for the entire coming week. The story is one of exceptional appeal and the action throughout is as rapid as it is thrilling. The picture has all the crash and tingle of the vividest melodrama. It is possessed of the heart-sing of life's supreme adventure of love. It is the story of an heiress who wedded her chauffeur, of a washerwoman's daughter who married a son of wealth—of these four, thrown together and facing a strange new world.

IVOGUN NEW SOPRANO MARVEL

HEIFETZ AT SYMPHONY TOMORROW

Many reports have been coming to America from eastern Europe in recent seasons of the miraculously brilliant and beautiful coloratura voice of Maria Ivogun, the young Hungarian singer.

A few months ago she came to America in person, and making her debut in Chicago and New York successively with the Chicago Opera Company in the part of Rosina in "The Barber of Seville," her success with public and press was immediate and complete. There is a lively interest here, therefore, in the news that she is coming to Boston to give a concert of her own in Symphony Hall a week from tomorrow afternoon, February 12, at 2:30.

Her Boston program will include the famous aria of "The Queen of Night" from Mozart's "Magic Flute," and his aria, "Il re pastore"; also songs by Mendelssohn, Delibes, Delius, Aqua, and a group of English songs, also a vocal setting of Johann Strauss' Waltz, "Tales From the Vienna Woods," and a song by the celebrated new composer, Pfitzner.

Hempel and Harvard Glee Club

On Tuesday, February 14, in Symphony Hall, at 8:15, the Harvard Glee Club will give the second concert of its series.

The assisting artist will be Frieda Hempel, the celebrated coloratura soprano, who is now devoting her career entirely to concert, in which field of music her voice and intelligence as an interpreter are revealed to such splendid advantage.

The new world famous men's chorus which has been trained to so fine a degree of executive fineness by Dr. Archibald T. Davison, of the music faculty of Harvard, will be heard in early ritual songs and also modern numbers.

McCormack

John McCormack, the great Irish tenor, is to give concerts in Symphony Hall on the successive Sunday afternoons of February 19 and 26 at 3:30, and another on the intervening Wednesday evening, February 22, at 8:15. He will present a different program at each of these concerts.

Irving S. Cobb

Unquestionably the foremost figure in the field of American letters today, a brilliant writer, keen observer, delightful humorist, is Mr. Irving S. Cobb, who will speak in Symphony Hall on Wednesday evening, February 15, at 8.

In the power to make his words scintillating pictures of the thing he describes, Irving Cobb has no peer in America. As Billie Burke's father puts it: "He has a stereoscopic pen."

KEITH'S

Pessie Clayton, assisted by a big company of dancers in "The Box Party," a dainty dancing playlet in two scenes, heads the bill at B. F. Keith's Theatre next week. Guy and Pearl Magley, Mercer and James Templeton and the Versatile Sextette take part in the production, said to be the biggest thing of the kind ever seen on the variety stage.

Vaughn Comfort, America's celebrated lyric tenor, in a song cycle, W. C. Field's big laughing hit, "Family Ford," with Jim Harkins and a stellar cast; the Swor Brothers, impersonating the Southern darky; the Quixy Four, the Fillis Family, Wayne and Warren, the Three Weber Girls, Aesop's Fables, Topics of the Day and the Pathe News complete the bill.

BOSTON THEATRE

"The Sin of Martha Queed," with Mary Thurman and a fine cast, heads the bill at the Boston Theatre, beginning Monday. It is described as a clean, thrilling drama of family life. At Moore's U. S. Jazz Band, a notable aggregation of local musicians, tops the vaudeville, with Fern Redman and H. Wells in "The Gyp," George Yeoman and Lizzie, in "The Editor of the Associated Press."

BOSTON THEATRE GUILD

The Theatre Guild of Boston, under the direction of Miss Marie Ware Laughton, announces the opening of its spring 1922, play season with three one-act performances to be given on February 10 at Union Hall, Boylston street, Boston. The Theatre Guild has attempted to present plays of artistic and literary value of both foreign and American authors.

The plays announced for the February 10 program include "Bushido," an early Japanese play; "Duty," an Irish play, written by an Irishman and bubbling with Irish humor; and "Dorinda Duren," a dramatization by Mae Angela Morris of Marjorie Bowen's well known story.

The second appearance in Boston this season of Jascha Heifetz, the greatest of the Auer pupils and, in the opinion of many, the greatest living violinist, will take place tomorrow afternoon in Symphony Hall at 3:30.

MIROVITCH SOLOIST

The third extra Boston Symphony concert of the series of five Monday evening concerts which will take place a week from next Monday night, February 13, will have as soloist Alfred Mirovitch, the extremely talented and highly artistic Russian pianist.

Pierre Monteux will present a notable program at this concert, which will begin with the unusual "Unfinished" symphony by Schubert, the two brief movements of which have placed this work in the estimation of the world as one of the highest achievements in lyrical beauty. Wagner will be represented by the Prelude and Love-Death from "Tristan and Isolde," and Liszt by his third symphonic poem, "The Prelude," probably the most popular of the symphonic poems of this master.

PARK THEATRE

"Peacock Alley," a photoplay with vivid story of the night life of Paris and New York, starring Mae Murray, an actress of individual qualifications fitting her especially for the variety of role in which the plot casts her, will be the principal of the two pictures forming next week's bill at the Park Theatre. This is promised to reveal Miss Murray at her best and exploiting her recognized gifts as dancer and beauty, the qualities with which she first won fame on the musical comedy stage.

The story concerns a Parisian cabaret star with whom a wealthy American business man's nephew falls in love and marries. He takes her to America, but her love of luxuries leads the young husband to force his uncle's cause to chuckle for which he is apprehended. She sells her jewels to cancel the forgeries, but the amount being insufficient, she returns to her old cabaret life while she had promised her husband to forever forsake. Learning of her action, he misconstrues her purpose and becomes estranged from her. How they become reconciled forms a happy ending to the colorful story. By all promise this should be an ideal vehicle for the attractive and popular star.

HOME BEAUTIFUL

Builders, architects, designers, manufacturers and others are rapidly taking spaces at the Home Beautiful Exposition which is to be held in Mechanics Building, Boston, April 15 to 29, inclusive, with a view of making attractive and interesting displays. Appliances for saving work, time and money and in constructing and furnishing one's home, specimens of the most desirable materials to use and other things of concern to everyone who has a home will be shown, and they will be shown in attractive surroundings.

Chester I. Campbell, manager of the Home Beautiful Exposition, says that as all work and no play makes Jack a dull boy, the management has decided to introduce many special features that will appeal to the thousands of visitors expected at the exposition, among these being an actual wedding, provided, of course, that some young lady signifies her willingness to be married at the exposition.

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JACK HOLT in "The Call of the North"

Amusements

Cosmopolitan Productions
Bookings on Cosmopolitan Productions

"THE BRIDE'S PLAY"
STARRING MARION DAVIES
Feb. 4-7, Plaza, Northampton.
Feb. 8-9, Poli's Palace, Springfield.
Feb. 11, Majestic, Burlington, Vt.

"BOOMERANG BILL"
Feb. 6-11, Waldorf, Lynn.
Feb. 6, Strand, Amesbury.
Feb. 6-8, Merrimac Sq., Lowell.
Feb. 8-9, Globe, St. Johnsbury, Vt.
Feb. 9-11, Colonial, Newport, R. I.
Feb. 9-11, Fenway, Boston.

"ENCHANTMENT"
STARRING MARION DAVIES
Feb. 6-8, Central Sq., Waltham.
Feb. 6-8, Highland Ave., Somerville.
Feb. 6-7, Eglesion Sq., Roxbury.
Feb. 6-7, Central, Westerly, R. I.
Feb. 8, Lyric, Ashland, N. H.
Feb. 8-9, Opera House, Newton.
Feb. 9-11, Bijou, Allston.
Feb. 9-11, Harvard, North Cambridge.

"GET-RICH-QUICK WALLINGFORD"
Feb. 6-8, Dudley, Roxbury.
Feb. 6-8, Jamaica, Jamaica Plain.
Feb. 6-11, Comique, Lynn.
Feb. 8-9, Bates, Attleboro.
Feb. 9-10, Strand, Newburyport.
Feb. 10-11, Warwick, Marblehead.

"BACK PAY"
Feb. 6-11, Gordon's Olympia, Boston.
Feb. 6-8, Strand, Pawtucket, R. I.
Feb. 6-7, Palace, Arctic, R. I.
Feb. 6-8, Federal, Salem.

"BURIED TREASURE"
STARRING MARION DAVIES
Feb. 6, Globe, Holyoke.
Feb. 8, Town Hall, Topsfield.

"PROXIES"
Feb. 8, Globe, Holyoke.
Feb. 10-11, Royal, Worcester.
Feb. 9, Star, Fairhaven.
Feb. 11, Opera House, Ipswich.

"THE WILD GOOSE"
Feb. 7, Premier, Newport, Vt.

"THE WOMAN GOD CHANGED"
Feb. 6-7, Colonial, Andover.
Feb. 11, Pease U. St. Johnsbury, Vt.
Feb. 11, Odd Fellows, Milton, Vt.

"HUMORESQUE"
Feb. 8, Opera House, Lakeport, N. H.

"THE RESTLESS SEX"
STARRING MARION DAVIES
Feb. 8, Community Club, Ayer.

"HELIOTROPE"
Feb. 6-7, Community Club, Lyndonville, Vt.
Feb. 9-10, Park, Spencer.

"THE INSIDE OF THE CUP"
Feb. 5, Gem, Leominster.

"THE PASSIONATE PILGRIM"
Feb. 7, Pastime, Chicopee.

"STRAIGHT IS THE WAY"
Feb. 6-7, Royal, Worcester.
Feb. 6-7, Dream, Winthrop.
Feb. 10-11, Dean, Everett.

"JUST AROUND THE CORNER"
Feb. 6-8, Dudley, Roxbury.
Feb. 6-8, Jamaica, Jamaica Plain.
Feb. 6-8, Strand, Dorchester.
Feb. 8, Strand, Palmer.
Feb. 9-11, Empire, Fall River.
Feb. 9-11, Strand, Holyoke.
Feb. 9-11, Exeter St., Boston.
Feb. 10-11, Star, Lawrence.

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MON. EVE. Feb. 13 at 8:15 — BOSTON SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA
PIERRE MONTEUX, Conductor
Program—SCHUBERT, Unfinished Symphony; WAGNER, Prelude and Love-Death, "Tristan"; DUKAS, "Sorcerer's Apprentice"; LISZT, "The Preludes"; RUBINSTEIN, Piano Concerto, with ALFRED MIROVITCH, Soloist
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PHOTOS, FADS AND FANCIES OF BOSTON'S STAGE AND ELSEWHERE

HERMINE SHONE, comedienne, does one of the best bits of acting of her career as a sister of scarlet gentry in "Back Pay," the daring play at the Park Square. Miss Shone is both talented and easy to look upon.

FRED STONE, the inimitable jester in "Tip Top" at the Colonial, possesses the happy faculty of amusing both young and old.

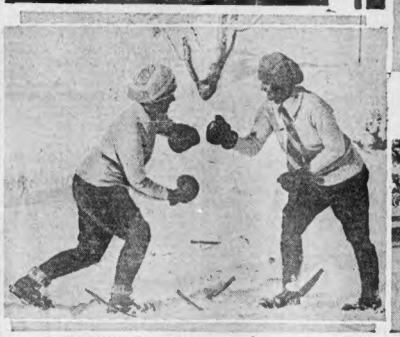
THE MAD DANCE OF LIBERTY! Your history tells you of the insane revelry that accompanied the French revolution, but if you would see it portrayed with remarkable fidelity by all means see "Orphans of the Storm" at the Tremont. It's drinking in history through the eyes—a pleasing business with a film like this.

AN OLD FRIEND PAYS A VISIT! Miss Miriam Sears, the leading distaff member of "The Dream Maker," William Gillette, is here wearing a new Spring afternoon frock. Miss Sears made her debut in Boston just three years ago. She likes Boston.

SHE LIKES US! Miss Betsey Barkies, the richest girl in Java, has arrived in the U. S. to become a teacher. She approves of American girls' fashions—bobbed hair, galoshes 'n everything. She says every rich girl should be self-supporting.

LEND US YOUR EAR A MINUTE? The Latin quarter of Paris—at least the male portion—is piercing its ears and wearing charms in them. This quarter man (something in that) is wearing an ancient charm.

PEARLS ARE BEAUTIFUL THINGS! At least Pearl Hamilton is one of the cute kids that will disport in the "Garden Frolics" at the Gayety Theatre, beginning Monday.

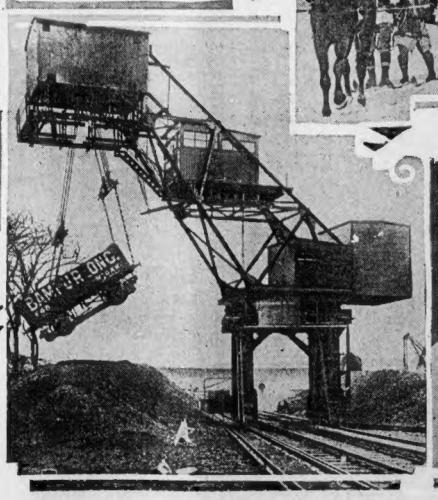


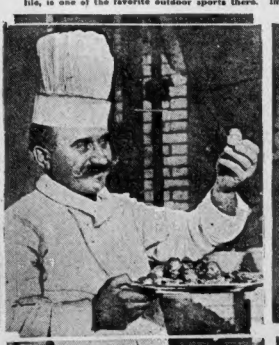
A BOUT ENOUGH! We've seen scrappers who moved about as if they had skis on, but this is the first time we ever saw a real ski boxing match—and between two pretty girls, too. The Misses Jean and Katharine Gillespie are two of the favorites at St. Moritz, Switzerland. (Wide World.)

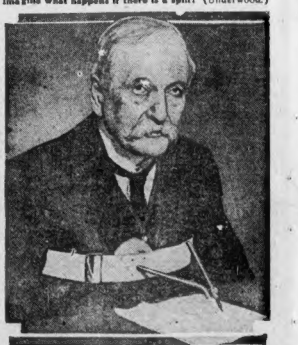
CAN YOUR MOTHER RIDE A BIKE? Not only mother, dear fellow, but the whole family. At least that is so at West Palm Beach, Fla., where bicycling has become a pronounced fad. The man in the foreground, at the right, is Fred St. Onge o Boston. (Underwood.)

A BEAUTIFUL CHAIN—OR A CHAIN O' BEAUTIES! "Old Jim," being a sensible horse, is fond of girls, and here he is giving them a little fun at Lake Placid, N. Y. Letting a horse pull you on skis, Indian file, is one of the favorite outdoor sports there. Imagine what happens if there is a spill! (Underwood.)

A (N)ICE PLUNGE—MEBBE! There are several branches of the cuckoo clan and they have an initiation something like this. That's why they're cuckoo. But we started out to say that Charles W. Stolberg of Edgewater Beach, Chicago, is a bear for cold water baths. (International.)







JUMP ABOARD OUR SCOOTTERMOTORCAR and Take a Trip Through the Whispering Palms! Folks down Palm Beach way lead miserable lives. In fact they lead each terribly miserable lives that nearly all the rest of the country would also like to lead miserable lives. Nothing to do but eat, drink (water) and be merry. Here is Lena King of New York and Louise Lauther of Pittsburgh driving ennui away by scampering along a smooth boulevard. It is one of the most popular means of conveyance at the resort. (International.)

GIVING COAL A WEIGH! This remarkable device lifts railway coal trucks bodily off their tracks, empties their contents and at the same time weighs the product as it is discharged. It is a British invention and is said to have proved satisfactory. This photo shows the appliance just before it empties the car. The device swings around in any direction. What interests most folks, however, is getting the coal. (International.)

SUFFERING SNAILS! France and England have been getting so chummy lately with their pacts and things, that London's best people have taken to eating snails. Here is the chef of a leading London hostelry preparing his masterpiece—snails cooked in their own shells and purified in vinegar and salt water. Somehow we're not hungry any more!

METAL FINGERS! An interesting and valuable addition to the artificial aids already supplied for the armless is this device, which enables an armless person to turn over the pages of a book, paint, sketch or write. This armless gentleman finds it rather simple to write a legible note. The device has not yet been placed on the American market. (International.)

See the News of the World at All Leading Theatres Showing International News—Released by Universal Film Exchange

5 MORE WOMEN MAY GIVE UP POLICE JOBS

Planning to Seek Jobs in District of Columbia, Says Report

Reports were current in police circles to the effect that Boston's five policewomen were planning to seek positions on the District of Columbia force.

The reports, which came from a well informed quarter, said that the women were dissatisfied with their work in Boston. They were planning, it was reported, to take Civil Service examinations for places on the District of Columbia force on February 8.

The reported action of the policewomen follows closely the resignation of Policewoman Miss Sabina Delaney, who quit because of inability to get along with Captain Charles Reardon of the Vice Squad and because of dissatisfaction with the work she had to do. Miss Delaney charged that she was compelled to associate with undersworld women in an effort to make them "stool pigeons" and to buy liquor in bro.he.a.

The policewomen are Lillian A. Taylor, Agnes J. Callahan, Mary M. McHugh, Irene C. Lynch and Irene McAuliffe. They refused to either confirm or deny the report. They said that because of the Delaney case they could not discuss anything pertaining to their work.

KERN WAS PAID ON UNFILLED CONTRACT

Received $55,255 From Government Without Delivering One Truck

By Universal Service.

Washington, Feb. 4.—Another of the many ramifications of Martin K. Kern, central figure of the Bosch Magneto scandal, has come to light here.

Kern was treasurer of the Bethlehem Motor Powers Company which, through some unknown influence, was given a $2,000,000 War Department contract as late as October 16, 1918. At this time the Germans were in full retreat and the end of the war was recognized to be but a matter of days.

The contract was for 1,500 Class B motor trucks, which were to have cost the government $1,743,750, and for chasses to cost $270,000. Although not a delivery was made, the contract was liquidated on May 23, of the following year, the company receiving $55,255.50 in settlement. The settlement was based entirely on the theory of equities. It was stated, although the debt is taken over by the government was said to be worth only $20,395.90.

BETTY ALDEN'S COMMENT ON BOSTON SOCIETY

Fashionable Folk to Attend Ely-Churchill Nuptials

By BETTY ALDEN.

A NUPTIAL event during the Winter months is more or less of a novelty in itself, but society would evince no "title interest in the coming marriage of Miss Nancy Ely, daughter of Mrs. Cora Codman Ely, regardless of the date set for the all-important event. For the Elys have no end of imposing family connections, including among others the Codmans and the Sturgises.

The man who will lead the bride from the altar is John Maitland Brewer Churchill, a graduate of Harvard, class of '21, and son of Mrs. John Churchill (Florence M. Winsor). The ceremony will take place just a week from today in Trinity Church at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, and needless to say, the entire social "who's who" will be assembled there for the occasion.

The bride-to-be, a member of the 1917 Sewing Circle, as well as of the Vincent Club, has selected as matron of honor her sister, Mrs. Hall Nichols (Corina Ely). Her other attendants include Mrs. Quincy A. Shaw, Jr. (Augustine van Wickle), Mrs. William H. Leonard, Miss Susan D. Lee, Miss Anita Sturgis, Miss Mary H. Beebe and Miss Nelia Fiske, the majority of whom are sister debutantes of Miss Ely.

Mr. Churchill will have as best man a classmate of his, Reginald Jenney. The ushers will be Messrs. Hall Nichols, Harvard '18; Arthur L. Richmond of the '18 class, Gorham Hubbard, '19, and Prescott T. Cumner, W. Lloyd Byers, John T. Baldwin, Stacy C. Richmond and Osborne White, all of the class of '21.

The Rev. Alexander Mann, rector of the church, will be assisted by the Rev. Francis Lee Whitemore at the ceremonial, when Miss Ely will be given in marriage by her uncle, James M. Codman.

If there have been practically no "love, honor and obey" events to inject a bit of variety into the social calendar, there have been only a few more debutante affairs planned for this month. And of course the buds are looking forward with great glee to the very few events to be given in their honor.

This Monday evening stands out as a red-letter day for the "just-out contingent," as Mr. and Mrs. Josiah F. Hill (Blanche T. Ford are giving a dance then at the Country Club in honor of their debutante daughter, Miss Theodora Hill. The latter, who has been guest of honor at various entertainments given for her by friends and members of her family, numbers among the debutantes who elected to attend college this year. Miss Hill choosing Bryn Mawr as her Alma Mater. This young girl, who graduated from Miss Winsor's, is an earnest and enthusiastic sportswoman, and has won considerable renown for her prowess along those lines among members of the smart set.

The dance on Monday evening will be preceded by a dinner at the club, which will include as guests the ushers and a number of debutante friends of Miss Hill. The ushers are Messrs. Peter Ferguson, Robert Morehouse, Giles Thomas, John McKittrick, Dell Stevens, Arthur Hobson, Jr., Samuel Hammond, Jr., Grosvenor Bemis, Frederick Pingree, Stephen Greene and Philip Wardner.

Apropos of debutante affairs, another event of similar vein is the dance which Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Van Rensselaer Crosby are giving next Friday evening at their Beacon street home in honor of Mrs. Crosby's niece, Miss Jane Grew, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Wigglesworth Grew of Marlboro street.

Miss Grew, who has a host of distinguished family connections, was introduced early last December at a dance given at the Chilton Club by her aunt, Mrs. David M. Osborne (Dorothy Dexter). Miss Grew numbers among the most attractive and widely-feted buds of the season, and her presentation dance was acclaimed one of the most brilliant affairs of the many given this Winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Osborne spent last Winter in New York, and their host of friends here are more than glad to have them in Boston this season. They have taken Mrs. Livermore Wells' home at No. 36 Lime street, Mrs. Wells having gone to New York this Winter to be with her son, young Bulkeley L. Wells, Harvard '18. The youngest daughter of the Wells household, Dorothy Wells, was married early in the Summer to Lothrop Motley Weld.

Betty Alden.

Mrs. Hall Nichols (Corina Ely), of Fairfield street, who is to be matron of honor at the wedding of her sister, Miss Nancy Ely, and John M. B. Churchill, Harvard '21. The marriage will take place a week from today in Trinity Church.

MRS. HALL NICHOLS
(Photo by Curtis.)

Random Notes of Society Folk in Town and Country

MR. AND MRS. RICHARD T. WILSON (Marian Mason), the latter formerly of Boston, were among the guests whom Mr. and Mrs. Honore Palmer entertained at dinner. Other guests included Mr. and Mrs. James H. Kidder, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel J. Wagstaff, Byron Goldsmith and Sydney Dillon Ripley.

Mrs. William D. Sohier, Jr. (Elaine Denegre), of Boston, who is sojourning at Palm Beach, was present at the luncheon which Mrs. William Lawrence Green gave at her villa at the Southern resort. Mrs. Sohier, who is a daughter of the Walter Denegres of Washington, New Orleans and Bar Massachusetts North Shores, is a bride of last Summer.

Mrs. Margot Asquith, who gave a lecture at Symphony Hall on Thursday evening, is returning to New York today, where she will stay at the Hotel Ambassador for a few days before going on to Washington. This evening Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas Murray Butler ar. giving a dinner in her honor at No. 60 Morningside drive Wi. g the wife of the former Prime Minister of Britain arrives at the capital as the guest of her son-in-law and daughter, the Prince and Princess Ribesco, she will have numerous entertainments given in her honor.

Mrs. Chauncey Depew has recovered from her recent illness and with Mr. Depew will go to Hot Springs, Va., on February 15.

Mr. and Mrs. James Lowell Putnam, formerly of Boston and now of New York, were in the box with Mrs. Moses Taylor Campbell at the Metropolitan Opera House for the benefit performance of "La Traviata." Also guests of Mrs. Campbell were the Duke and Duchess De Richelieu and Messrs Frank Wilbory and A. Morris Bagby.

Mrs. Grafton Minot of Washington and Boston entertained at her home at the capital the Argentine Ambassador and Mme. Le Breton.

Mrs. John McLennan of Canada, who is occupying the residence No. 1775 Massachusetts avenue, entertained a breakfast company there yesterday in compliment to Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Gompers. Mrs. McLennan, who has entertained extensively through the season, invited to meet Mr. and Mrs. Gompers Lord and Lady Lee, the Princess Lubomirska, wife of the Polish Minister; Sir Robert Borden, Sir Richard Neville, Mrs. George Vanderbilt, Mrs. Frederick A. Keep, Mrs. George Cabot Lodge, Mrs. Gifford Pinchot, Senator Walsh of Massachusetts and Senator Van Blokland of The Netherlands delegation to the Arms Conference.

BIG NEW BUSINESS BUILDING TO BE ERECTED

Adjoining buildings on Kilby and Water streets, in the heart of the insurance district, owned and occupied by Field & Cowles and John C. Paige & Co., will shortly be razed to make way for a 12-story, fireproof building. The proposed building will be known as the Insurance Building. Final agreements, it is said, have not been signed.

CHINESE TREATY APPROVED BY POWERS

Agreement Calling for Open Door and Containing Root's 4 Points Quickly Accepted

Washington, Feb. 4 (By the Associated Press).—The Arms Conference moved swiftly towards its close today with a sixth plenary session, at which were formally announced the Far Eastern treaty, restating the policy of the open door and affirming anew the territorial integrity of the old celestial nation—the dream of her people since the numerous encroachments by foreign powers began years ago.

The new treaty for revising the Chinese tariff also was presented and the way was cleared for another and final plenary session Monday, when President Harding will mark the end of the history-making conference with an address.

The general Far Eastern treaty, embodying the Root four points and the open door for China, was presented by Secretary Hughes.

APPROVED BY POWERS.

Without a word of discussion the treaty was approved on a rollcall of the nine powers.

Under the treaty the powers agree:

"(1)—To respect the sovereignty, the independence and the territorial and administrative integrity of China.

"(2)—To provide the fullest and most unembarrassed opportunity for China to develop and maintain for herself an effective and stable government.

"(3)—To use their influence for the purpose of effectually establishing and maintaining the principle of equal opportunity for the commerce and industry of all nations throughout the territory of China.

"(4)—To refrain from taking advantage of conditions in China in order to seek special rights or privileges which would abridge the rights of subjects or citizens of friendly States, and from countenancing action inimical to the security of such States.

BOARD OF REFERENCE.

A resolution was unanimously adopted which was designed to provide procedure for dealing with questions that might arise in connection with the execution of provisions of articles of the Chinese general treaty relating to the open door policy and conduct of the Chinese railway.

It provides that a board of reference be established in China to which any questions arising might be referred for investigation and report. It also stipulate that the special conference provided for in the general treaty for Chinese customs tariff shall formulate for approval of the powers concerned a detailed plan for the constitution of the board.

Assent of all powers also given to the resolution declaring on the part of China that she will not alienate any part of her territory.

U. S. Soldiers on Way Home

Antwerp, Feb. 4.—The United States army transport Cantigny, with 1,109 officers and men of the American forces in Germany, including 20 on board, sailed from this port last evening for America.

COLLEGE GIRLS WOULD WED ON $2,500

Madison, Wis., Feb. 4.—Half of the women undergraduates at the University of Wisconsin believe that men earning $2,500 a year are good prospects for marriage.

Eighty per cent. of the men and 80 per cent. of the women are "despondent," due to the fact that they do not know what they will do after graduation.

These facts were revealed in the college magazine announcing the result of a questionnaire which had been sent to 7,000 students. Among other things, the survey showed:

That there are two hundred and fifty "man-haters" in the school; that one woman insisted that she would wed no one earning less than $20,000 a year; that less than half of the men smoke; that women spend more time studying than men, and that freshmen women are willing and eager to be married at the age of twenty-two.

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BLOOMERS, our special material, scallop trimmed.....$1
WHITE PETTICOATS, miscellaneous lot. Marked from $1.50 and $2 to.....$1
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40 PAIRS of slender and average figure models, entire elastic top, medium hip and low bust, with long hip, broche and coutil materials. Were $3.50 and $4. Now..$1.50
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Baldness Sign of Mental Decay, Says Alienist

New York, Feb. 4.—When Dr. William R. Pritchard testified as alienist in the Eno will contest before Surrogate Foley and a jury, he said that Amos F. Eno had been a victim of senile dementia. In describing the symptoms he mentioned loss of hair.

Former Justice Clarence J. Shearn, chief counsel for the executors, asked:

"You mean, doctor, getting bald on the head?"

With a pained expression on his face he rubbed a hand over his own scalp, which is bald. Dr. Pritchard stood his ground, and answered:

"Yes, that is quite correct."

G. S. BALDWIN OF BROOKLINE IS DEAD

Member of Board of Selectmen and Served in the Legislature

George S. Baldwin, Boston stock and bond broker, member of Brookline's Board of Selectmen, died today at his home at No. 91 Middlesex road, Brookline. He had been suffering for six weeks from heart trouble.

Mr. Baldwin is survived by his widow, Mrs. Nellie Swift Todd Baldwin; two daughters, Mrs. George H. Walker and Nellie Todd Baldwin, and two sons, George S. Baldwin, Jr., and James Todd Baldwin. All reside in Brookline.

Mr. Baldwin was born in Boston in 1866, the son of Mr. and Mrs. William H. Baldwin. His father founded the Boston Y. M. C. A. Union.

Mr. Baldwin had a brokerage office at No. 85 Devonshire street. He was a former member of the Legislature and had served a previous term ten years ago on the Brookline Board of Selectmen. His present term would have expired next month. He had announced that he would not be a candidate for re-election.

He was a member of the Algonquin Club and up to a few weeks ago crossed it the Longwood Cricket Club. He was also vice president of the Boston C. C. C.

The flag on Brookline's Town Hall was flown at half-mast today.

WOMAN COLLAPSES ON WAY TO COURT

New York, Feb. 4.—On her way to the court of special sessions in Brooklyn Miss Sadie Apfelbaum collapsed on the stairway and fractured her skull. Miss Apfelbaum was arraigned on a charge of failing to supply heat to tenants in her house at No. 5307 New Utrecht avenue last month and was to have been sentenced yesterday on the charge. Since the charges against her the house has been well heated.

TYPHUS HITS 150,000 JEWISH REFUGEES

5,000 From Lithuania Stranded on Border in Box Cars; Mortality Is Heavy

A cable from Leonard G. Robinson, who left for Europe a fortnight ago as a special commissioner for the Jewish Joint Distribution Committee, reveals serious outbreaks of typhus among the 150,000 returning Jewish refugees from Lithuania and Latvia, driven eastward from their homes during the war, who are now struggling back through the Winter snows from Soviet Russia. Mr. Robinson's cable received here yesterday from Paris is as follows:

"My first experience here was a special meeting of the European executive council to consider an urgent wire from our representative at Kovno, H. Joseph Hyman of Columbus, Ohio, describing a heartrending situation in Lithuania.

"Five thousand Lithuanian refugees, Hyman wires, are stranded at Shebesh, at the Lettish border, living in railroad box cars. A thousand of them down with spotted typhus, from which twenty-five are dying daily. In addition there is a heavy mortality from frozen limbs requiring amputation.

"The Lithuanian government refuses entry to these unfortunates, as a typhus epidemic is already raging in Kovno, brought by other refugees. Barracks for hospital are available, however, for 2,000,000 German marks, and we are authoring that expenditure if efficient help can be organized. Medical commissioners will be rushed."

Among the 400,000 Jewish refugees in Eastern Europe the constant outbreaks of typhus are straining the resources of the Jewish relief organization abroad. Its success in coping with the situation depends on the result of the $16,000,000 appeal now being conducted in co-operation by all the Jewish relief organizations in America.

DANA HALL GIRLS FLEE BEDS IN FIRE ALARM

A fire drill which was hailed by fire chiefs from four cities as the last word in efficiency and dispatch was exhibited a few minutes before midnight by sixty young ladies at the fashionable Dana Hall Finishing School in Wellesley.

The fire heads were Chiefs Walsh of Boston, James of Cambridge, Mahan of Watertown and Doyle of Wellesley. Through arrangements with Miss Helen Temple Cooke they were placed at posts of vantage in the first floor hall of the main dormitory.

The girls, daughters of the most fashionable families in the East, were each and every one asleep. None had been warned of the drill. Then the fire alarm was sounded.

It took the trig exactly one minute and thirty-one seconds, from the moment the alarm sounded, to leave their rooms, dressed in kimonos and slippers, to form in their respective halls about their lieutenants, and march down the stairs quietly into the main hall.

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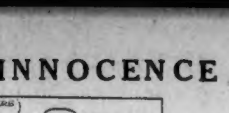

EVERY EVENT TONIGHT IN B. A. A. MEET WILL GIVE A THRILL

HOW THEY SHOULD FINISH

EVENT	FIRST	SECOND	THIRD
40-yard dash	Murchison, N. Y.	Lever, Penn.	Carter, Brown
45-yd. hurdles	Thomson, Dart.	Hulman, Yale	Whitney, Har.
Hunter mile	Ray, Ill. A. C.	Cuthill, B.A.A.	Connolly, 69'r'Twn
Williams 3-mile	Nightingale, Tufts	Leath, B. A. A.	Johnson, Pitt.
High Jump	Murphy, Notre D.	Brown, Dart.	Clark, Amherst
Pole vault	Gardner, Yale	Harwood, B.A.A.	Knourek, I.A.C.
ONE-MILE RELAYS—			
	Bowdoin	Williams	
	Boston College	Holy Cross	Georgetown
	Colby	R. I. State	
	N. H. State	Mass. Aggies	
	Brown	Maine	
	Tech	Harvard	
	Bates	Vermont	
	Rensselaer	Northeastern	Worcester Tech.
	Tufts	Boston Uni.	
	Exeter	Andover	
	Boston Latin	English High	B. C. '25
	Dartmouth '25	Tech '25	
	Huntington	Worcester Acad.	
	Harvard '25	Yale '25	
	Dartmouth	Pennsylvania	
	B. A. A.	New York A. C.	
TWO-MILE RELAYS—			
	Syracuse	Dartmouth	Tech
	Harvard	Yale	

By CHARLES E. PARKER

With upwards of 300 athletes ready for action, New England's great indoor track and field classic, the B. A. A. games, get under way at the Boston Arena tonight.

At 7:30 o'clock, the first of the many events on the program is scheduled to start, and from that time until nearly midnight the huge throng that will pack the St. Botolph street edifice to its rafters will be furnished thrill after thrill.

Forecasting the outstanding events of the evening is an uncertain task. Every one of the nearly twenty relay races finds evenly matched teams opposing one another, thereby assuring rare competition from the gun to the worsted, while the special events on the program boast such high-grade entrants that they too will do their part in making this year's meet one that long will be remembered by the thousands of onlookers.

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Because of the very exceptional field of distance stars referred in the Hunter Mile, many are expecting that event to prove the most sensational event of the night.

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The starters will include Joie Ray of the Illinois A. C., who three days since set a new indoor record for the mile and one-half event; Jimmy Connolly of Woburn and Georgetown, intercollegiate champion of last year; Harold Cuthill, the "flying parson" of the B. A. A., who won the Eastern Olympic tryout event two years ago, and who took the measure of Joie Ray at the Millrose games last year, and recently captured a 1,000-yard event against a fast field in New York; Larry Shields, intercollegiate mile champion of two years ago, who, with Ray and Connolly, was a member of the recent American Olympic team.

Keen rivalry exists among these four, and on one or another occasion each has taken the measure of the others. Consequently the battle should prove one of the most bitterly fought in the history of the Hunter trophy race, and that a new record will be set for the event is far from unlikely.

The three-mile run brings together, among other starters, Gordon T. Nightingale, former New Hampshire State star, and international intercollegiate three-mile winner; and H. Earl Johnson of Pittsburg, former national distance titleholder, and winner of the Millrose three-mile run last Wednesday.

The American Olympic Committee failed to name Nightingale as the member of the recent Olympic team, and the former Granite State star takes delight in vanquishing those who were favored by the Olympic Committee. As Johnson was among the latter, their battle for the Williams trophy should prove a thriller.

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Earl Thomson of Dartmouth, but new running unattached, looms as the leading figure in the 45-yard high hurdles, and may are expecting him to set a new world's record for the event.

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He will be furnished real competition by Gus Desch, the Notre Dame football star, who recently was cleared from charges of professionalism, and who holds the world's 440-yard hurdle record; Tony Hulman, the Yale and former Worcester Academy timber-topper, who showed so well last season, and N. S. Whitney of Harvard, who surprised the New York track fans this week by trouncing Lever and Harold Barron in the Millrose hurdle event.

Loren Murchison of the Illinois A. C., who equaled the 40-yard indoor record at the Millrose games, is the general favorite for the sprint race tonight, although Harold Lever of Pennsylvania and Bernie Wefers, Jr., of the New York A. C., are fast enough to take advantage of any slip-ups on the part of the Windy City man.

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Johnny Murphy of Notre Dame, holder of the world's indoor high jump mark as the result of his leap in the Millrose meet, and several other topnotch high jumpers will battle for honors in that event, with Murphy's chances considered the best, and another boosting of the record not an impossibility.

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Nor is the list of entrants in the pole vault less impressive than that in the foregoing special events. Gardner of Yale, Knourek of Chicago, Harwood of the B. A. A., and formerly Harvard's leading pole vaulter, are among the starters in this feature, and as all are capable of bettering 13 feet in outdoor competition, their work indoors will be well worth watching and may develop a new mark.

The loss of Tommy Campbell to the Yale two-mile relay team has considerably changed the complexion of the annual Harvard-Yale relay duel, but there still remains sufficient quality to the Eli lineup to force Harvard to its utmost to win.

Syracuse is being generally favored in the triangular two-mile relay, in which Tech and Dartmouth are its opponents, while Boston College is the pick of the triangular one-mile relay for Catholic colleges in which Georgetown and Holy Cross will oppose the Maroon and Gold quartet.

B. A. A. PROGRAM. Special Events.

40-yard dash (Major Briggs Trophy Race).
45-yard high hurdles.
40-yard dash (Handicap).
1000-yard run (Handicap).
1000-yard run (Handicap).
One mile run (Hunter Trophy Race).
One mile run (Handicap).
Three mile run (Williams Trophy Race).
Running High Jump.
Pole Vault.

TEAM RACES.

Two Mile Relays.

Harvard vs. Yale vs. Cornell vs. Syracuse.
Dartmouth vs. Georgetown.

One Mile Relays.

B. A. A. vs. New York A. C.
Pennsylvania vs. Dartmouth.
Harvard vs. Yale.
Georgetown vs. Holy Cross vs. Georgetown.
Bowdoin vs. Williams.
Brown vs. Maine.
Tufts vs. Vermont.
Colby vs. Rhode Island State.
Tufts vs. Boston University.
New Hampshire State vs. Mass. Aggies.
Worcester Tech vs. Rensselaer vs. Northeastern.
Harvard vs. Princeton.
Pennsylvania Freshmen vs. B. C. Freshmen vs. New York Freshmen vs. Holy Cross Freshmen.
Exeter vs. Andover.
Huntington vs. Worcester Academy.
English High vs. Boston Latin.

Four Lap Relay.

B. A. A. Midgets A vs. B. A. A. Midgets B.

BAY STATE BOYS WIN SHOOTING MEDALS

Massachusetts Juniors Among the Prize Shots in December Competitions

Twelve hundred and four medals were awarded the winners in Winchester Junior Rifle Corps matches in December, making a total of 14,050 awarded for the competitions in the twelve months of 1921.

Little by little the Winchester Junior Rifle Corps is growing. It is an organization that develops the work of the Boy Scouts, the Girl Scouts, the boys' clubs, Y. M. C. A.'s and similar organizations.

Conferences are held in various parts of the country at regular intervals and the work explained, to chief instructors and others, and with an excellent knowledge of the subject these men are able to form stronger units.

The Winchester Junior Rifle Corps bereafter will give a distinguished rifleman's badge to the winner of all W. J. R. C. national championships, and to any boy who is a member of the W. J. R. C. who wins any national rifle shooting championship.

Here are the Bay State medal winners:

Harwood Buckman, 180 School street, Watertown.
Walter Bishop, 3 Bidgett street, Lowell.
Adolphe Trevisky, 5 Dalton street, Lowell.
Herbert Smith, 7 Rutledge.
Kingsley Wooler, 6 Surrywoods avenue, Springfield.
John Munsell, 33 Reed street, Springfield.
George Evans, 11 Salem street, Wakefield.
Albert C. Fallon, 250 Lafayette street, Jamaica Plain.
Walter Nilson, 46 Glendale street, Dorchester.
Abraham Ginsburg, 34 Bicknell street, Dorchester.
Albert C. Fallon, 250 Lamartine street, Jamaica Plain.
Phillips Boyd, 9 Revere street, Jamaica Plain.
Frank Vaughan, 105 Norfolk street, Cambridge.
Ralph Gardner, Stoneridge.
Harry Desmond, 39 Isaac street, Wakefield.
Harry Freeman, 39 Isaac street, Wakefield.
George Evans, 11 Salem street, Wakefield.
Wallace Sweetser, 309 Main street, Wakefield.
Theodore Lavesiers, 13 Hicks street, New Bedford.
Randolph Lowell, 1 Grand street, Lowell.
Harry Burns, 23 Chestnut street, Lowell.
Robert Metcalf, 24 Concord street, Springfield.
Benedict E. Dibs, 58 Armory street, Springfield.
Kenneth Thornton, 339 Willimahan road, Springfield.
Norman Cook, 610 Dickerson street, Springfield.
Howard Clark, 868 Armory street, Springfield.
W. W. Worrall, Lincoln park, Longmeadow.
Fred Worrall, Lincoln park, Longmeadow.
Gregory Melanson, 83 Monument avenue, Worcester.
Emil Melanson, 83 Monument avenue, Worcester.
Raymond Grant, 93 Electric avenue, West Somerville.
Richard Nolan, 14 Bapleton street, Jamaica Plain.

MEDBURY

Says Theatres Now Check Babies Along With Overcoats---One Bachelor Went in Single and Came Out With a Child

Several moving picture theatres have installed check rooms for babies. A married couple can now go to a show and check their "Howling Success" along with their overcoats.

One guy was so interested in the picture that when he went out he held his overcoat in his arm and tried to put the baby on.

A bachelor got the wrong check and went up to the window and the girl gave him a two-year-old boy instead of his hat.

He went into the picture show single and came out with a child.

When he came back he found the mother with his hat in her arms trying to make it take a bottle.

A couple can go into the theatre with twins and if they tip the check girl they can leave with triplets.

There is always a lineup at the baby check room. The woman in front of you gets your baby, but you don't care, you got hers.

This place is usually dark, and you can't see very well. One girl checked a baby in arms and when she called for him she found he was walking.

Another dame checked a little girl who couldn't even say "Mama." When she called for her the baby asked her how she liked the show.

One couple got all the way home before they discovered that they'd forgotten something.

They remembered they'd taken something home in the baby carriage but when they looked at it they found it was full of groceries.

The husband went back to the theatre and he was so nervous that when the nurse naked him if it was a boy or a girl he had to phone his wife to find out.

He couldn't get her on the phone so he wanted to take one of each and let his wife pick out the one that belonged to them.

He told the nurse they'd only keep one and return the one they didn't use in the morning.

He said he was sure it wasn't a girl, so the nurse gave him one more guess.

He was positive his baby wasn't there, but he said he'd have to go home with some child or his wife would be sore.

There's only one safe way. Hold your hat in your lap and slide the baby under the seat.

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SMALL AND HIS PARTNER ARE WINNERS

Belmont Man and Miley Beat Murphy and Kaye in Golf at Pinehurst

Pinehurst, N. C., Feb. 4.—Boston golfers were prominent on Pinehurst links when Brick Small of Belmont, accompanied by a body guard of four professionals, arrived and took quarters at the Harvard.

The delegation included Fred Miley, Homestead; Pat Murphy, Salem; Jim Kaye, former Wollaston professional, and Brick Nicholls, Belmont. Small and Miley took on Murphy and Kaye and won, three and one. Miley with a 76 had the low ball of the four.

Pat Murphy, the Salem boy, had something to talk about when he grabbed his putter close to the blade and felt out the sand green. He holed some long ones.

Park W. Whittemore and George Crocker of the Country Club practiced for their coming match against W. E. Trussdell, New York veteran cracks, and A. L. Walker, jr., John Feeney and Tommy McEneany played number three and Tommy was 39, 42—81. Feeney was 108.

Favorites won in the second round of the Saint Valentine tournament, and it began to look as though L. Walker, Jr., and Donald Parson would contest on the finals.

Massachusetts golfers won six matches and lost five in the various regular and consolation divisions.

SUMMARY:

FIRST DIVISION

A. L. Walker jr., Richmond Country, defeated H. E. Fendall Pinehurst, 3 and 2.
J. B. Chapman Greenwich, defeated W. E. Trussdell, Glen Ridge, 3 and 2.
Paul Snell, Rochester, defeated Major A. H. Dunn, Pinehurst, 1 up.
Dan Parson, Yonkers, defeated H. G. Phillips, Pinehurst, one up.

SECOND DIVISION

A. E. H. Harlow, Brockton, defeated Captain Robert Gardner, Lake Forest, 1 up.
Jim Daly, New York, defeated R. H. Hunt, Detroit, 3 and 2.

CONSOLATION.

R. H. Dale, Pinehurst, defeated W. Banks Holmes, 2 and 1.

FOURTH DIVISION

F. L. Dyer, Boston, defeated J. R. Bowser, Woodland, 1 up.

FIFTH DIVISION

H. J. Wood, Rumford, defeated F. A. Buell, New York, 3 and 2.
John W. Kaye, Providence, defeated A. D. Esselstyn, Allegheny (CONSOLATION).

SIXTH DIVISION

Pat Murphy, Salem, defeated D. A. Dailey, Rochester, by default.

SEVENTH DIVISION

J. Herbert Ei Aimee, defeated Ror Hackett, North Attleboro, 6 and 4.
Edward Clark, North Attleboro, defeated S. D. Sanborn, Boston, 3 and 2.
R. Holmquist, Boston, defeated A. D. Fisher, Taunton, by default.

EIGHTH DIVISION

J. D. Sait, Charles River, defeated D. D. Reid, New York, 3 and 2.

SENIOR GIRL SWIMMERS IN THE RED CROSS CHAMPIONSHIPS

Teams of senior girl swimmers took to the water in the Cambridge Y. M. C. A. pool today to compete in the first swimmer's carry, the opening event on the program of the first annual conference and championships of the American Red Cross Life Saving Corps of New England.

More than forty young women and girls are entered for the contests, representing the Red Cross Life Saving Corps of the Boston Metropolitan Chapter, the Boston Girl Scouts, Brockton Y. W. C. A., Fall River, Malden Y. W. C. A., New Bedford Girl Scouts and the Lexington Girl Scouts.

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The other events scheduled are: Retrieving contest, head carry, life boay surf rescue, cross shoulder carry and rescue for speed.

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Among those who will compete are: Olive Holland, Stella Ross, Ione Muir and Mabel Mangller, of the Boston Red Cross Corps; Dorothy Kadyich, Gladys Michelman, and the Misses Levy and Bass of the Boston Girl Scouts; Lola Short and Ethel Traynor, of Fall River; Glenna Butman, Margaret Flanagan, Helen Marden, Alvina Keyalast and Evelyn Leary, of the Brockton Y. W. C. A.; Helen and Sarah Scudder, of the New Bedford Girl Scouts; Priscilla Webster and Lorraine Noyes, of the Lexington Girl Scouts.

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The events for men and boys will be held tonight in the Boston Y. M. C. A. pool. Three and four heats will be necessary in several of the contests if all the entrants compete.

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The entries include:

Boston "Y"—R. and E. Mutr, B. Levsis, C. Carvis, Goodhue, C. Tischoff, E. Adonis, W. Vayo, R. L. Maddison, V. Hartford, A. Bruno.
Boston Boy Scouts—William Hanlon, Georgs Noxon, Preston C. Hatch, Arvid Andiason.
Middlesex School—E. D. Stetson, E. D. Pratt, Clarke Atwater.
Providence Swimming Club—Ralph Furington, Joseph McCarthy, George Daley.
Cambridge "Y"—Archie Anthony, Edward Carlson, Arthur Richardson, Kenneth Cox, Roy Hilberg, Harold Torp, Bradford Babbitt, Richard O'Connell.

Other entries are from the Brockton, Fitchburg, Malden and Salem Y. M. C. A.'s, Providence, Pittsfield, Brockton and Concord Boy Scouts and Worcester Boys' Club.

The officials for the water events are: Director of events, Robert B. Miller of the New England Division, American Red Cross; starter, Fred C. Mills of the Atlantic Division, American Red Cross; referee, W. E. Longfellow, president of the American Swimming Association; announcer, John W. Waters, swimming instructor Cambridge Y. M. C. A.

The general conference will be held at 2:30 p. m. in Huntington Hall, Rogers Building, William M. Harris of the New England Division will preside. The speakers will be W. E. Longfellow, national field agent of the American Red Cross Life Saving Corps, and Fred C. Mills of the Atlantic Division of the Red Cross. There will be a questionaires conducted by the chairman and medals and certificates will be awarded senior and junior girls.

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At a special meeting for Scouts at 4 p. m., Agent Longfellow, who is a member of the National Court of Honor of the Boy Scouts of America, will demonstrate fifty uses of the neckerchief and blanket.

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The first annual dinner will be held at the Boston Y. M. C. A. at 5:30 p. m. H. Bradlee Fenno of the Boston "Y" will be toastmaster.

The speakers will be Mayor Peters, Arthur G. Rotch, manager of the New England Division, American Red Cross; Edward S. Roche, Boy Scout executive for the first district, head of the Boston Council of the Boy Scouts; Miss Lavinia H. Newell, commissioner of the Boston Council of the Girl Scouts and chairman of the Boston Metropolitan Chapter of the Red Cross; Miss Dorothy Dean, director of the Metropolitan Boston Division of the Girl Scouts; Dr. William H. Barrow, of the Middlesex School, Concord, Mass., and Cheney C. Jones, assistant manager of the New England Division, American Red Cross.

H. Bradlee Fenno has donated a handsome silver cup to be known as the H. Bradlee Fenno Trophy, which will be awarded to the winner of the highest total number of points in the meet. Medals will be awarded winners in each event, and certificates will be awarded for second and third places.

Delightful surprises and fascinating Mystery Pictures in the Maple Book given away with Sunday Advertiser. Boston Sunday Advertiser, New England's Greatest Sunday Newspaper.—Advt.

Important New Discoveries in the Human Body are told by Xavier Ferrand. Many Miracles, in tomorrow's Boston Sunday Advertiser, New England's Greatest Sunday Newspaper.—Advt.

ARLINGTON BASKETBALL TEAM BEATS LEXINGTON

The Arlington High School basketball five easily won the first of its annual series of games from Lexington second outfit, 9 to 7.

Between the periods, the Arlington seconds won from the Lexington second outfit, to 7.

The summary:

ARLINGTON		LEXINGTON	
Wager, rf.		Kendall	
Fall, Powell, lf.		Fitzgerald, Johnson	
Miller, c.		Mowlday, Ferguson	
Ward, rg.		McNamara	
McClellan, lg.		Cook, Mellen	

Goals—Arlington (high school) 10, Lexington (high school) 8, Arlington (second) 3, Lexington (second) 3. Referee—Jones (Boston College). Umpire—Cullins and Hoban (Boston College). Time—Halves, 20m. periods.

HARRY SILVA MAKES MICKEY DONAVAN QUIT

Brockton, Feb. 4.—Harry Silva of Boston gained the decision over Mickey Donavan of Brockton at the Olympic A. C. when Donavan quit in the fifth round.

Tom Cotter, welterweight of Quincy, kayoed Billy Muldoon of Lynn in the second round.

Willie Nelson of Brockton gained the decision over Phil Bruno of Boston. Bruno substituted for Charlie Brennan of East Boston as Brennan had a sore hand.

Jimmie Smith of Brockton gained the decision over Patsy Branigan of Quincy. About 1,500 were present.

FORT ANDREW POST TEAM WILL TACKLE CO. F

A good basketball game is scheduled for tonight at the Cambridge Armory. The F. Company five will meet the Post team from Fort Andrews.

The Fort Andrews team are the champions of the regular service, locally, and the F Company team are the champions of the 101st Infantry, Massachusetts National Guard. A contest full of action and fast clean play is anticipated.

For the intermission game a battle royal is assured. The youthful Jimmy Mulligan All Stars and the University City five, competing East Cambridge teams, will stage the first contest of a series to decide the championship of East Cambridge.

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The Cantab All Stars of Cambridge, would like to play with the fastest semi-pro basketball teams. Knights of Columbus and American Legion teams preferred. The manager is Daniel Atwater, No. 44 Baldwin street, Cambridge. His telephone is University 1607-W.

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Coach "Tommie" Murphy of the Seneca Juniors, was very much elated when his charges defeated the Waltham Catholic Club, thus winning the series of two games. The Seneca Juniors are ready to defend their claim to the amateur championship against fast amateur teams, Legion teams and K. of C. second teams in the State.

What the Senecas lack in size and weight, they make up in clever all-around team work, as shown by defeating the Waltham C. C. The manager is William G. Connolly, No. 40 Second street, Cambridge. His telephone is University 533-J.

Will Play on February 6

Manager Roger Peirce of the Arlington High School hockey team has arranged to play off the postponed game with the Belmont Independents on February 6 at Arlington.

ASHMONT A. C. STARS TO HOLD DANCE PARTY

The Ashmont Athletic Club will hold its annual dance on Monday evening at Whitton Hall, Centre street, Dorchester.

The organization is composed of many of the young men who have been prominently identified with amateur athletics in the district, most of whom have represented St. Mark's Catholic Club on its various athletic teams.

The dance committee consists of Joseph J. Hennessey, chairman, assisted by Joseph Coughlin, Joseph O'Brien, Stephen Griffin, John McGrath, Owen McGarrahan, Clifford Cole, Herbert Collins, and the Misses Frances McHugh, Mary Walsh, Mary Croke and Marie Hevey.

Reception committee, James Martin, chairman; John Coughlin, Charles Maltby and James McCue. Hall committee, George Gallagher, chairman; Henry Dolan, Warren Baxter and Charles Gunnig. Refreshments, chairman, John McGonigle. Leo O'Neill, John F. Leonard and William Harmon.

HAYDN FAVORS GRID BUT OPPOSES TRACK

Portland, Me., Feb. 4.—Track athletics should be abolished in high schools, according to Richard F. Hayden of the Springfield Y. M. C. A., who delivered an address before a conference of young men held here under the auspices of the Church Federation, the Ministers' Union and the Y. M. C. A.

The speaker declared that football was the greatest game for men between seventeen and twenty-one. He showed that it developed both courage and initiative in the players.

Ferdinand F. Petarson of Boston, in his address laid stress upon the necessity of young men giving serious consideration to the work of moulding their own characters. He urged that they have in mind this duty, as one they owed to those who were to come after them.

DARTMOUTH TRACK TEAM COMES TO UNICORN MEET

Hanover, N. H., Feb. 4.—Dartmouth resumes athletics today after a ten-day layoff on account of mid-year examinations. The Green track team travels to Boston today twenty-three men strong, for the B. A. A. meet, where it makes its initial appearance of the season. The squad includes three relay teams along with the individual entries.

The hockey team will leave for a five day trip, playing Yale in New Haven Monday, and West Point at West Point on Wednesday.

Dartmouth's basketball team will meet the Crescent Athletic Club five here tonight in what will probably be the toughest game of the season.

BOBBY DYSON LOSES IN BOUT WITH CURTIN

Fall River, Feb. 4.—Irish Johnny Curtin of Jersey City scored a technical knockout over Bobby Dyson of New Bedford after two minutes of fighting in the first round at the Casino A. A.

Dyson was on the ropes when one of his seconds stepped into the ring, thinking the round was over.

THAT QUINCY HOUSE BANQUET

AND SOME OTHER THINGS

BY

HAROLD D. WILSON

(Recently Removed as Federal Prohibition Enforcement Officer in Massachusetts)

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A Story Which Presages a Political Revolution in the Bay State

BEGINS IN MONDAY'S

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IT TAKES AN EMERGENCY TO DEMONSTRATE WHAT BRAND OF COWARDICE HANGS ABOUT EACH MAN

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Indoor Sports

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By TAD

NO—MY WIFE TOLD ME BUT I FORGOT— LISTEN—IT GOES SOMETHING LIKE THIS NOW—LISTEN
YOU DON'T KNOW THE NAME OF THE SONG—AH WHAT SHOW IT'S FROM EH
THAT SOUNDS LIKE THE BLUE DANUBE CROSSED WITH THE WANG WANG BLUES
IF THE MAN CAN GUESS WHAT THAT SONG IS I'LL AWARD HIM THE RUBBER STEP LADDER
NOT SO GOOD
LATEST SONGS
DUDE BACK IS RIGHT ALL THE CUCKOOS ARE NOT IN CLOCKS
INDOOR SPORTS
SYMPATHIZING WITH THE POOR BLOKE WHO RUNS THE PHONOGRAPH STORE

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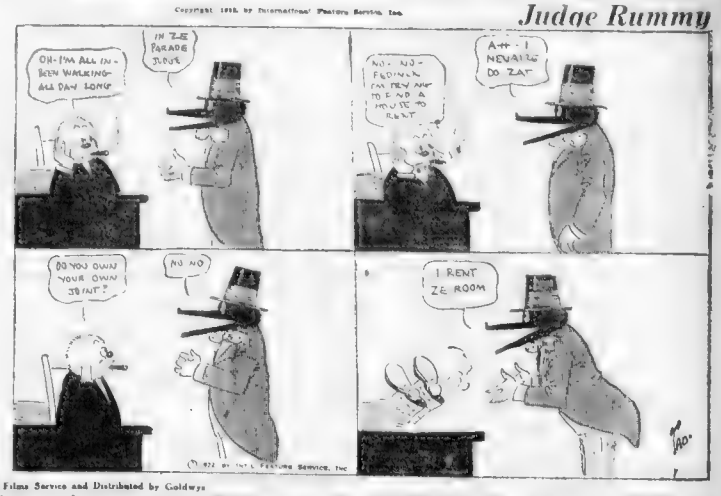
OH-I'M ALL IN-BEEN WALKING ALL DAY LONG
IN ZE PARADE JUDGE
NO-NO-I'D RATHER FALTER AWAY TO FIND A HOUSE TO REST
A-H-I NEVAIR DO ZAT
DO YOU OWN YOUR OWN JEWIT?
NO NO
I RENT ZE ROOM

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MADDEN AND NEE WILL CLASH AT LYNN

By JACK CONWAY

Thirty-six rounds of action, with a ten-round tussle between Tommy Nee of South Boston and Freddy Madden of East Boston as the windup, make up the card at the Casino A. C. show at Lynn for Monday night. Because of the intense rivalry between Nee and Madden, one of the most interesting bouts ever seen in Lynn is expected.

For weeks Henry Meyers, manager of Madden, has been hurling challenges broadcast and among those to whom he declared are afraid of the Noddle Islander was Nee. The reflection that Nee was unwilling to meet Madden brought Meyers to terms for Tommy merely asked for the date and place where the bout would be staged.

Both boys will weight 135½ at 3 o'clock. With the added weight which Nee has taken on lately his hitting power, always conceded to place him in a class by himself, ought to be improved. Tommy is one of the hardest rockers in the bantamweight class and he punches with such force that some of the leading lights in the game admit that they do not care to meet him.

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Madden, who has beaten Red Chapman, Young Kansas, Dutch Regan, Harry Martin, Johnny Lucas and a flock of other New Englanders, is a willing, crafty boxer who is not liable to take any chances of getting in the path of Nee's gloves. Madden has promised to give Nee all the chance he wants to swap at close range and if the rugged Noddle Islander stands up under the barrage which he will face, if he elects to do any mill ng at close quarters, he will make good his boast that he can take everything Nee has.

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Teddy O'Neil of Nashua and Ray Ward of Providence will box a ten-rounder and Young Quirk of Lynn and Ray McFarland of Everett will meet in another ten-round preliminary will be between the York Shire Terrier and Eddie Xavier.

Eight-round bouts have been set at Nit with the Casino fans over the week has decided to stage the return bout of a show for the Mechanics building. The club believes it is the policy to make the newcomers show their wares before putting them in the main bouts. Medals have the added incentive now for the local clubs. Manager "Bud" Schneider of Revere, the Olympic A. C. middleweight champion, is going to try and book quite a few bouts for the Hub city and Boston with the toughest fighting club could possibly find in the person of Billy Charnof, now holder of the Revere Terrier and Eddie Xavier.

Schneider has won all five fights since turning pro and he has booked as his foe Thomas Mac Hathers and the like in Canada.

The card that the club is putting on the boys are very evenly matched. The fans are willing to bet that they are going to earn the money. The rest of the card is as follows: Eddie Perkins of Lynn vs. Chuck Miller, Hudson; Kid Savage, Johnny Sparrow of Revere vs. Young Hughie, South End; Young Bova vs. Johnny Lucas.

Tony Bova, who has been matched to box Wild Bill Lee at the Lynn show, is one of the most promising lads in the ring with the Malone crew. Bova is going to be signed at the Malden show, and it is believed that he will be matched with Lee. Bova is a boy who should go places in the game. He is a clever boxer and has the punching power to put over a knockout. He is scheduled to box Johnny Sparrow at Revere next Friday night.

Robinson and Bacan have already engaged in several tough battles and should furnish Maine fans with plenty of action.

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The news that a Lewiston promoter was planning to pit Sergeant Ray secretary and treasurer.

The Boxing Menu

Tonight—Chelsea A. A. amateur bouts.

Monday—Casino A. C., Lynn—Freddy Madden, East Boston, vs. Tommy Nee, South Boston, ten rounds; Roy MacFarland, Navy, vs. Joe Pancrate, Quincy, ten rounds; Frankie O'Neil, Lynn, vs. Young Willard, Providence, ten rounds.

Tuesday—Carlisle A. C., Grand Opera House—Burt Schneider, Montreal, vs. Billy Carney, New Bedford, eight rounds; Soldier Hughes, Dawson, vs. Charley Miller, South End, eight rounds; Hans von Kelly, South Boston, vs. Jack Savage, Brockton, eight rounds; Johnny Shepard, Woburn, vs. Young Donahue, South End, eight rounds; John Boyea, Lynn, vs. Harry Haven, Young Bova, West End, eight rounds.

Friday, February 13—Mickey Walker, Newark, vs. Johnny Griffiths, Akron, Ohio, ten rounds, Commercial A. C.

Young Gould vs. Young Genoa, 12 rounds, Arena A. C., Woonsocket.

South ender Bill Brennan failed to make any such plaint. Such a bout would be a joke. Neither Leo P. Flaherty nor Dan needs any benefits.

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Pat McCarthy, Roxbury light heavyweight, who takes things easy for a while after his one-time meeting Pat Walsh, battered up in his recent workouts and after the tussle with Walsh said he would put up Eddie Roberts, South end possessor, that all sorts to dispose of most of his middle and a lot of our other headweights.

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Jack Sheehan has been appointed an honorary referee in the State of Connecticut. This is a tribute to his thirty five years of service as the third man in the ring. Jack modestly states that he has officiated in more than 3,000 contests.

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Bill Lee will probably be seen in action at one of the local clubs this week. Lee, Roxbury manager, is going to try and book quite a few bouts for the welterweight pro who has plenty to worry about.

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Messrs. Mekrdis and McCarthy announce that reservations may now be made for the ten-round bout between Marcel Walker and Johnny Griffiths which will be staged under the auspices of the Commercial A. C. Mr. Mekrdis is holding next Friday evening at the Hotel Bellevue. Fans who have designs on the welterweight pro who has been over New England for a long time will be there.

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Jack Savage, Johnny Sparrow of Revere, Young Hughie, South End boxer, and Johnny Lucas of Lynn are matched to box eight rounds at the Malden show. Hughie is booked to box with Jack Malone next Friday night at the Malden show. Lucas is booked to box Johnny Sparrow at the Revere show. Jack Savage, Revere boy, should go places in the game. He is a clever boxer and has the punching power to put over a knockout. He is scheduled to box Johnny Sparrow at Revere next Friday night.

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George Robinson, Cambridge middleweight, has started training for his ten-round fight with Joe Bacan which will be staged at Lynn next Friday night. **Robinson and Bacan have already engaged in several tough battles and should furnish Maine fans with plenty of action.**

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POLK ASKS FOR ANOTHER BOUT WITH LONDOS

Promoter Tuohey Will Try to Arrange Match for All-Star Wrestling Show

Joe Polk, the A. E. F. heavyweight champion wrestler, has asked Promoter Tuohey to give him another chance at Jimmy London, Greek star and to his every effort to induce the Greek to meet him.

This is a match Polk has been working on for some time and he hopes to have London for one of his all-star bouts in Mechanics Hall a week from next Monday night. His chances are that he will try to stage the event as one of the regulars.

Another man whom Tuohey is anxious to show at the Mechanics is the Bohemian star who is touring New York State and who is regarded as one of the greatest wrestlers of his weight ever developed in Europe.

TECH AND ARMY MEET IN RING AND IN TANK

West Point is slated for two bouts with Tech today a number of which this afternoon and tonight. The Army is bringing to the college sports fans of Boston while the tank men are calling on its second year of the competition.

West Point natators went through a medley last year with a score of 44 to 30 in favor of the Cadets. The first event this afternoon and tonight will be a 300-yard swim, one of the first for each team this afternoon.

Tech's team includes Fitzgerald and Carroll Dunn in the 300-yard swim, Marsh and Talbot in the 220-yard swim, Hungerford and Hall in the plunge and Bob Pulinton and Dunn in the fancy dives.

Neither the breast stroke nor the 50-yard back stroke events will be included in the program.

BOSTON WOMAN WILL BE DIRECTOR OF ATHLETICS

Portland, Me., Feb. 4.—Miss Carroll of the Boston Normal school of physical education, Massachusetts, will succeed Miss Mary Ordway on January 31 to take charge of the activities of her charges who are to participate in the annual Winter Sports' Carnival, which will be held here.

Miss Tarbell will also attend as delegates to the athletic festival which will be held here after the carnival. The conference is to be a general discussion on the subject of sports and a report of the work which will be carried on under some standard plan. Miss Mary Cash of Portland, Miss Irene Ames of Lewiston, Miss Captain of the Normal school, and Mrs. John Dyer of Auburn are also scheduled to attend the delegates.

BOSTON AND MT. PLEASANT K. C. FIVES MEET TONIGHT

Boston and Mt. Pleasant Council basketball fives in the first division of the big state of Massachusetts knights of Columbus basketball league will clash in an important league game for the second time this season in the Roxbury High School Hall. Warren street, tonight this evening.

In their previous battle, Boston Council defeated the veteran Mt. Pleasant quintet.

Mt. Pleasant has quite a string of victories to its credit and has rounded into such shape during the last few games played that the followers of the team are predicting a victory tonight.

RACING SELECTIONS

AT NEW ORLEANS.

1—Orleans entry, Prince K., Leslie.
2—Ticklish, The Decision, Cacambo.
3—Omnipotent, Sweepy, Knot Grass
4—Mercury, High Cost, Centimeter
5—Slippery Elm, Costigan, Velo.
6—The Wit, Barry Shannon, Waukesag.
7—Printers' Devil, Veiled Colleen, Spinning.

CONSENSUS OF OPINION.

1—Prince K., Daniel, Duster.
2—Marie Maxim, Jago, Serbian.
3—Knot Grass, Omnipotent, Sweepy.
4—High Cost, Mulciber, Centimeter
5—Bunga Buck, Gut, United Verde.
6—The Wit, Waukesag, General Haig.
7—Hermuskemble, Printers' Devil, Lucky Girl.

AT HAVANA.

1—White Crown, Pikey B., Signal Corps.
2—Hocnir, Frascuelo, Sunrose.
3—Haran, Quaker, Humpy.
4—Goldbait's entry, Gass entry, Last One
6—Audrey A., Molinero, Fair and Warmer.

AT TIA JUANA.

1—Tom Craven, Indian Prince, Bittern.
2—Orleans Girl, Merry Lass, J. D. Sugg
3—Clear Lake, Ring Leader, Stanley H.
4—Wise Judge, Baby Cal, Mountain Girl
5—Yorkist, Grace, Roisterer
6—Torsida, Thriller, Olympiad.
7—Irwin entry, Thirty-Seven, Mistake.

STAR SCHOOLBOY ATHLETES IN SPRINT AND THOUSAND

By FRED C. LANE.

The cream of New England's schoolboy runners will appear before the largest crowd that ever saw an indoor track meet in this city when the B. A. A. games take place at the Arena tonight. Entries have been received from all parts of New England and all are striving to win one of the much coveted prizes offered in the various events.

Interesting records for both the 40-yard dash and 1,000-yard run will be made if great performances by the cracks who have trained zealously for the event.

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The final heats in these two events will bring together an array of luminaries. In the 40-yard dash there are many who have been running in longer sprints who feel they have the speed to win.

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The 40 yards to get away to a fast start was Easy Peck to do with despite the wind. The athletes in the lower high schools have little chance to win any of the prizes, or even to finish.

The 1,000-yard run will bring together a great bunch of boys who are out with hard for the jobs on the Portland and Lewiston teams. Many who will compete in the final are kept in condition by the long cross-country runs of the present season. Harrington of Waltham has been looked upon as the class of the field for the 1,000-yard run for the past two years, but he will be pushed hard by the fast-stepping Lewiston runner, Bowers, left debris Cann.

COACH ZELLER PICKS NORTHEASTERN TEAM

Coach Zeller of the School of Business Administration has completed the trials necessary to select the Northeastern basketball team which will meet Worcester Polytech tonight.

The men chosen are S. P. Coombs, captain; H. O. Fandin, C. L. Nyman and W. N. Parsons. T. G. Kelley will be alternate.

EXETER HOCKEY TEAM AGAINST HARVARD '25

Look for Good Exhibitions by Martin, Pitman, Cantillon and Austin

HOCKEY LINE-UP	
HARVARD '25	EXETER.
Austin, l.w.	r.w., James
Beals, c.	c., Hardy
Burgess, r.w.	l.w., Pitman
Hammond, l.d.	r.d., Martin
Holder, r.d.	l.d., Cody
Cantillon, g.	g., Adams

Hockey fans in Exeter and Exeter and even Lowell, are looking on the season's hockey team of Exeter as the Phillipians have the Harvard freshmen a formidable team and Captain of the visitors, and Bill Cantillon and Victor of Harvard are primed for the best and season of hard play for both school.

There are no practice Exeter will turn out the two Methuen High at the Boston Arena the Exeter fans will make down to see this game. Harvard from Cambridge and Andover at the Arena Gardens. The Exeter squad will be in play the game but will not have a chance of contesting with Exeter.

Many of the best players and scorers of New England will be in the Exeter lineup. Captain Martin and Cantillon and Victor of Harvard are primed for the best and season of hard play for both school.

BRATTLEBORO SKI JUMP WILL HAVE ITS OPENING

The Brattleboro ski jump will be opened on Wantastiquet mountain with a tournament on Saturday afternoon, February 14, at 2 o'clock. Ski enthusiasts from all parts of Windham county are expected to be present and a large number from out of town.

Many of the best jumpers in New England will be present, including Ragnar Omtvedt, Dartmouth '25, and Ragnar Omtvedt, Dartmouth '26, who won the Middlebury tournament last year. Both are members of the Norwegian team which will participate in the annual Winter Sports Carnival at Dartmouth. Several other well known jumpers will be present, including Andrew Dahl and Ingvald Dahl, brothers of the latter. Dartmouth '26, and Ingvald Dahl, Middlebury '26.

GRAYSON OF MILFORD IS TOO MUCH FOR CELTICS

Grayson led in scoring, getting two baskets and two fouls. In the entire game the Celtics only got one basket, this being in the first half by Beckman, in the second half neither side scored.

WALKER AND MANGHAN TIE IN TEXAS TOURNEY

MITCHELL MILITARY HOCKEY TEAM DATES

MIDDLESEX HOCKEY TEAM PLAYS ST. MARK'S

BOSTON PLAYER BEATEN IN CANADIAN RACQUETS

Michael Collins' Own Story—How Ireland's youthful hero conducted the most amazing military campaign against the British army that the world has ever known—exclusively in tomorrow's Boston Sunday Advertiser, New England's Greatest Sunday Newspaper.—Adv.

INTERNATIONAL SPORTS WITH CUBA AT MIAMI

Miami, Fla., Feb. 4—Organization of the teams that will defend the United States in the international games to be held in Miami February 7 to 11 has brought forth an array of athletes from the topmost notches of all sporting ranks.

Numerous known stars will compete with the best that Cuba has produced. The majority of them are now practicing for the events, being residents of Miami Beach during the winter.

Tom Griffiths, national champion in the decathlon, and Ed Hart, former Lehigh track star, undefeated in New England and Metropolitan cross-country competition last year, will be among the entrants. Griffiths will compete in the 100-meter dash, the 400-meter run, the 110-meter hurdles, the broad jump, the high jump, the pole vault, the shot put, the javelin throw and the 1,500-meter run.

Hart will enter the 5,000-meter run, the 10,000-meter run and the cross-country run.

ST. JOHN'S PREP GETS ITS EIGHTH STRAIGHT WIN

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HARVARD BASKETBALL TEAM PLAYS AMHERST

OLD COLONY TRUST HAS MEN IN ATHLETIC MEET

TECH HAS EASY VICTORY OVER AMHERST

Engineers Winners in Slow Basketball Game on Their Home Court

Tech basketball team won a victory over Amherst at Walker Memorial last night, defeating Lord Jeff 36 to 14 in one of the slowest games ever on the Tech court this season.

During the second half, the engineers had no trouble keeping the visitors away by a score of 14 to 5 in the first half Amherst was doubly handicapped owing to the poor floor and the fact that it was not used to playing on a floor of this size. Harvard, who scored nine points in the first half, was held to two points in the latter part of the game. Captain Miller of Amherst (formerly with the Army A. A.) was high scorer of the game with 10 points.

Tech's passing was good throughout the entire game, and was rolled up in every scoring combination. That Tech had a number of shots at the basket was due to the fact that Amherst was forced to play a defensive game.

The line-up: Tech forwards called Wear and Boyer; centre, Young; guards, Tech, early in the period, Young had difficulty in shaking loose from the middle of the floor.

The Amherst combination, Amherst, Miller and Crawford, was rolled up.

WEST SIDE Y. M. C. A. TEAM TACKLES ALLEN SECOND

Tonight Feb. 4. The Mitchell Military hockey team will play the Allen second team at the Arena Gardens tonight. Allen Mitchell second today. The game will be staged at 8 o'clock.

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Harvard entertains Amherst at basketball tonight at the Cambridge gymnasium. Amherst has defeated Tech and Worcester Tech has defeated Harvard, so the game tonight promises to be a hotly contested affair.

OLD COLONY TRUST HAS MEN IN ATHLETIC MEET

The Old Colony Trust Company will be host to the Boston Y. M. C. A. basketball team in the Old Colony Club gymnasium tonight. The Old Colony Club team, which is composed of former school and college stars, Curtis & Sanger have also entered men in the meet for the first time. The meet is proving more popular than ever before.

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This Day in History, February 4, 1922

THIS is the anniversary of the execution, in 1553, of Thomas Wyatt, for instigating an uprising against the marriage of Philip II. of Spain and Queen Mary of England. His forces were scattered and he was captured and beheaded

Magazine Page

The Story of Blueheard

THE story of Blueheard, so familiar to every child, originated in France. The historical character on which Blueheard appears to be founded seems to be Gules de Laval, Lord of Rais, made Marshal of France in 1429

Fanny Hurst's Dramatic Story

"BACK PAY"

The Story of a Girl's Soul Redeemed Through Love

A Serial of a Country Girl Who Seeks Happiness in the Maelstrom of the Metropolis

SYNOPSIS

"BACK PAY" is the story of Hester Ireton, a country girl with a simple code of moral and [illegible] Newcombe, who loved Hester [illegible] that [illegible] ever philosophic [illegible]

Hester lives in a small town where the people with whom she comes in contact [illegible] Pete leading [illegible] drives her into [illegible] one [illegible] in town is Jerry [illegible] who drives the stage [illegible] Friday [illegible] to [illegible] how [illegible] Jerry has fallen very much in love with Hester, but in narrow daily life of the country town, considering that one cannot [illegible] promise to marry [illegible] and settle down for life and be tied for her [illegible] companions as the boarding house.

Hester realizes [illegible] is a breaking point [illegible] and she finally decides [illegible] but [illegible] in the dreaded life which she has endured for [illegible] years [illegible] eloping in New York city. She parts with Jerry and leaves the town.

A time period in New York and then Mr. Wheeler, millionaire, [illegible] grips with [illegible]

Her love [illegible] to [illegible] heart [illegible] letter [illegible] and love [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

Do You Carry A Cold in Your Pocket?

Government Scientists Make the Disturbing Discovery That the Lining of Your Handkerchief Pocket Is a Busy Incubator of Germs Which Re-Infect You With a New Cold

The Loves of Betty and Billy

A Charming Color Page by NELL BRINKLEY

$50,000 REWARD for MICHAEL COLLINS, DEAD or ALIVE. Read Collins' own story of his marvellous exploits and WHY the English forces never won that reward, in

"HOW WE MADE IRELAND FREE"

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ALICE in MAGIC COLOR-LAND

What is the Good Fairy Pointing Out to Alice? You Won't Know Until You Wet the MAGIC INK on page five of the

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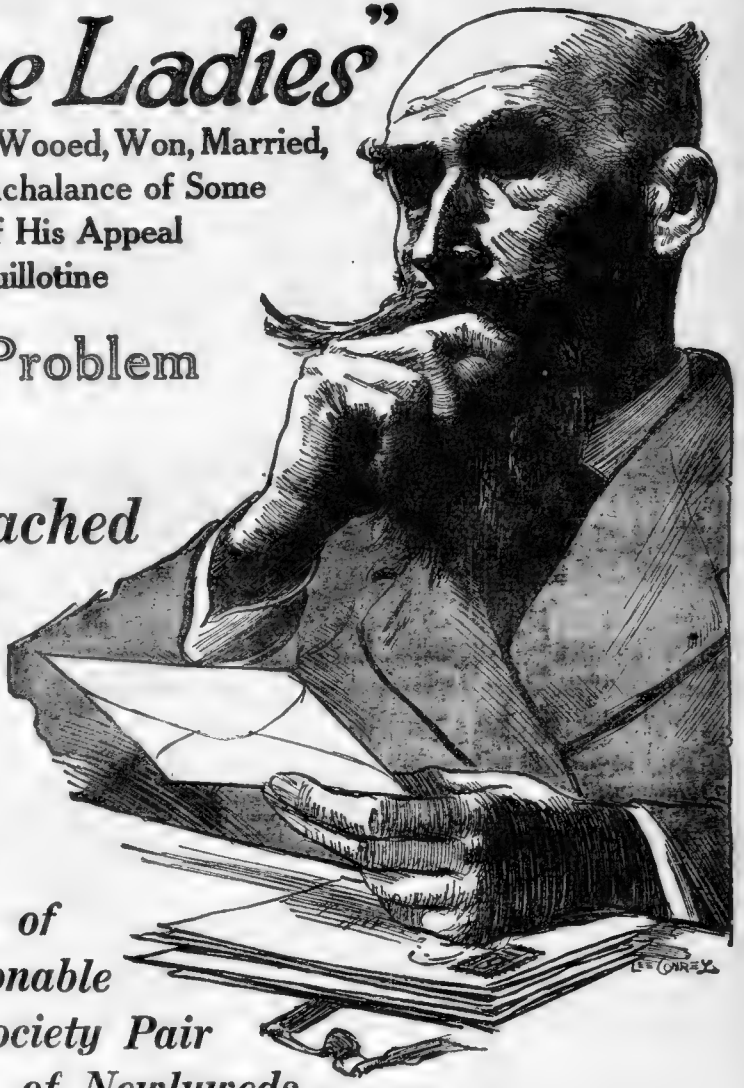
BOSTON AMERICAN — A Paper for People Who Think — Largest Evening Circulation in New England — SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 4, 1922

"How I Made Love To the Ladies"

Landru, the French "Bluebeard" Who Is Suspected of Having Wooed, Won, Married, Robbed and Murdered 283 Wives, Writes with Easy Nonchalance of Some of His Profitable Romances While Waiting to See If His Appeal to the Court Will Save His Neck from the Guillotine



Geraldine Farrar's Heartrending Problem

Found! The Very Stones On Which Jesus Stood and Preached

Cooks and Waiters as "Princes" and "Dukes"

The Bogus "Count Gregory" Describes How He Arranged a Dinner of Fake Nobility to Impress Mrs. Stuyvesant and Wheedled $200,000 Out of Her

How New York's Daring "Chloroform Burglar" Sprayed the Deadly "Dew of Sleep" Over a Fashionable Young Society Pair of Newlyweds

"Silently he turned the nozzle of the hose upon the sleepers. The chloroform mist settled down upon them, deepening their sleep into stupor!"

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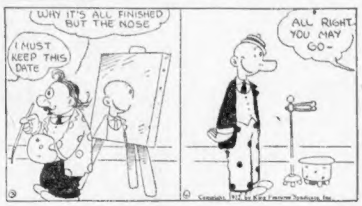

THEN THE FUN BEGAN

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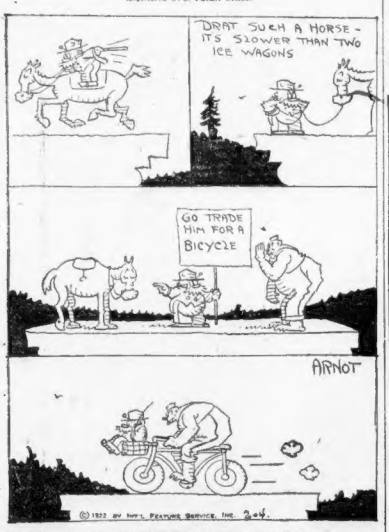

Kabibble Kabaret

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BY HERSHFIELD

DEAR MR. KABIBBLE,
SHALL I CALL UP MY MOTHER AND ASK FOR FORGIVENESS?
—MARY LAMSON—
DID YOU GET MARRIED OR GET YOUR HAIR BOBBED?

BRINGING UP FATHER

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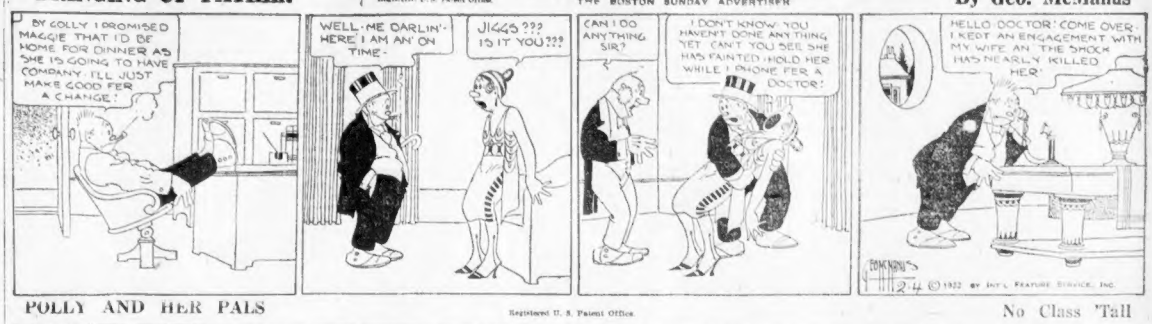
DAILY IN THE BOSTON AMERICAN AND IN COLORS IN THE BOSTON SUNDAY ADVERTISER

By Geo. McManus


BY GOLLY I PROMISED MAGGIE THAT I'D BE HOME FOR DINNER AS SHE IS GOING TO HAVE COMPANY. I'LL JUST MAKE GOOD FER A CHANGE!
WELL - ME DARLIN' HERE I AM AN' ON TIME -
JIGGS ??? IS IT YOU???
CAN I DO ANYTHING SIR?
I DON'T KNOW YOU HAVEN'T DONE ANYTHING YET. CAN'T YOU SEE SHE HAS FAINTED? HOLD HER WHILE I PHONE FER A DOCTOR!
HELLO DOCTOR! COME OVER. I KEPT AN ENGAGEMENT WITH MY WIFE AN THE SHOCK HAS NEARLY KILLED HER!

POLLY AND HER PALS

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No Class Tall

FOLKS MOVE IN UPSTAIRS TO DAY?
I WOULDN'T CALL 'EM 'FOLKS' PA!
HOW THEY MANAGE TO KEEP HOUSE IS BEYOND ME!
HOW COME?
WHY! THEY AIN'T GOT A VACUUM CLEANER, A 'LECTRIC IRON OR EVEN A PERCOLATOR PAW!
HOW Y' KNOW THEY AIN'T?
I TRIED T' BORRY 'EM!

JERRY ON THE JOB

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An Unsuccessful Ray of Sunshine

GOSH - I NEVER SEEN MR. GINNEY WITH SUCH A THICK, GROUCH - HE'S AWFUL SORE ABOUT SOMETHING.
AWRRR - RORRR!
MAYBE I CAN CHEER THE OLD BOY UP A BIT IF I SLIP HIM THE OLD GAB ABOUT THE POWER OF A SMILE AND ALL THAT.
WHY DON'T YOU START THE DAY WITH A SMILE, MR. GINNEY. THINK ABOUT A LOT OF PLEASANT STUFF - GOOD WILL TOWARD MEN AND SUCH.
WHAT ABOUT FRIENDSHIP?? THAT'S A SWEET IDEA..
POO - THERE'S NO SUCH THING AS FRIENDS - THERE'S NOBODY IN THIS WHOLE TOWN THAT I CAN TRULY CALL MY REAL FRIEND.
O - PARDON ME - I DIDN'T KNOW YOU'VE BEEN TRYING TO CASH A CHECK.

ABIE THE AGENT

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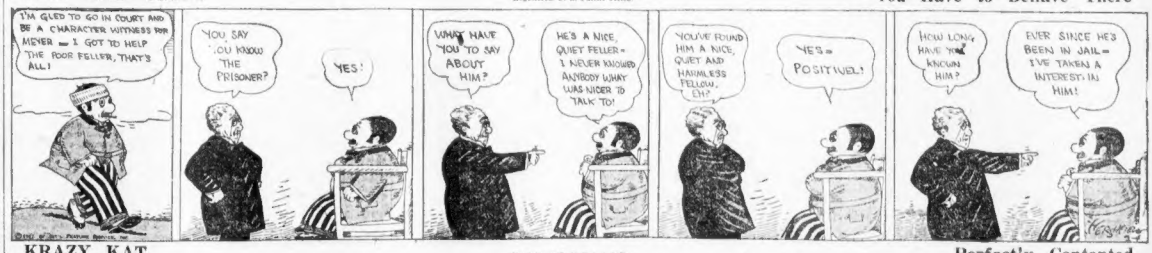
You Have to Behave There


I'M GLAD TO GO IN COURT AND BE A CHARACTER WITNESS FOR MEYER — I GOT TO HELP THE POOR FELLER, THAT'S ALL!
YOU SAY YOU KNOW THE PRISONER?
YES!
WHAT HAVE YOU TO SAY ABOUT HIM?
HE'S A NICE, QUIET FELLER - I NEVER KNOWED ANYBODY WHAY WAS NICER TO TALK TO!
YOU'VE FOUND HIM A NICE, QUIET AND HARMLESS FELLOW, EH?
YES - POSITIVE!
HOW LONG HAVE YOU KNOWN HIM?
EVER SINCE HE'S BEEN IN JAIL - I'VE TAKEN A INTEREST IN HIM!

KRAZY KAT

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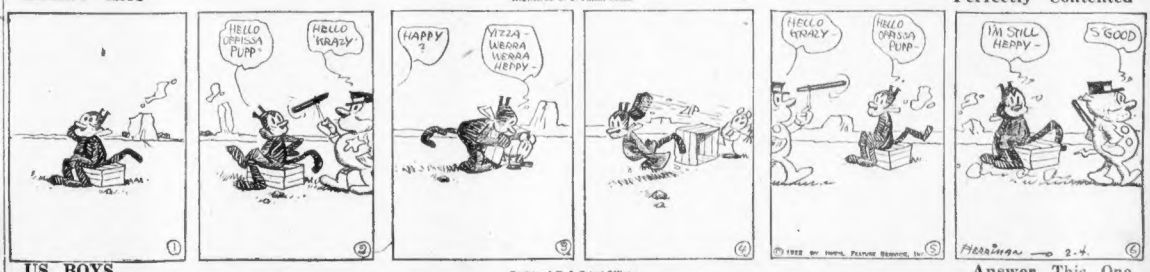
Perfectly Contented



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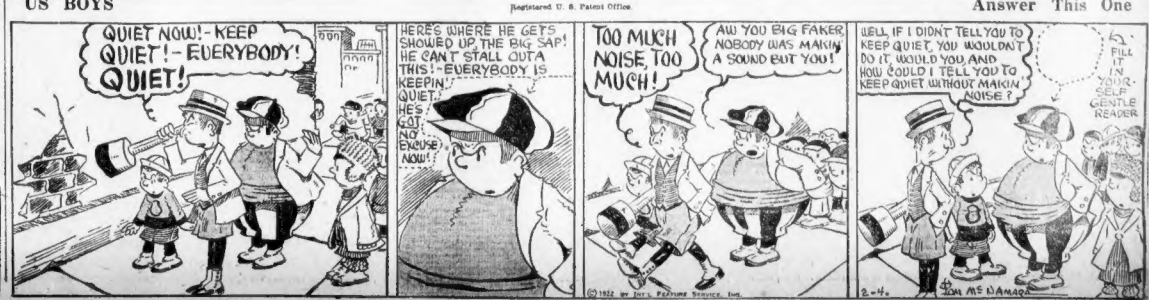
Answer This One


QUIET NOW! - KEEP QUIET! - EVERYBODY! QUIET!
HERE'S WHERE HE GETS SHOWED UP. THE BIG SAP! HE CAN'T STALL OUTA THIS! - EVERYBODY IS KEEPIN' QUIET! HE'S GOT NO EXCUSE NOW!
TOO MUCH NOISE, TOO MUCH!
AW YOU BIG FAKER, NOBODY WAS MAKIN A SOUND BUT YOU!
WELL, IF I DIDN'T TELL YOU TO KEEP QUIET, YOU WOULDN'T DO IT, WOULD YOU AND HOW COULD I TELL YOU TO KEEP QUIET WITHOUT MAKIN NOISE?
FILL IT IN YOURSELF GENTLE READER

FINANCE AND BUSINESS

By B. C. FORBES

New York, Feb. 4.—Follow developments closely when Mexico's foreign minister arrives in this country next week. Washington having so keenly concerned itself about the affairs of lands at the other end of the earth, it ought now to do something constructive for its own neighbor. We've had enough of "watchful waiting." It's now time for helpful action. The prospects, I rather think, are bright.

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Somehow I can't work up any whole heart enthusiasm over these daily reports of grandiose steel mergers in the making. Are you, from Missouri?

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Orders to keep American factories going and American pay envelopes filled cannot be secured successfully in foreign countries by sitting in a swivel chair at home. When the steel corporation wanted foreign business it sent James A. Farrell to foreign lands; Standard Oil sent its brainiest executives and salesmen; President Taft crossed the ocean even today; Schwab did some of his most profitable labors for Bethlehem Steel overseas; Tom Wilson has travelled abroad much in building up his packing business; Swift's acclaim on the job in Europe now, booking orders for Baldwin Locomotive, and so it goes.

It probably would not occur to you to associate Hawaii with hats. Yet there will arrive in that island within the next few days the heads of one of America's most colossal hat manufacturing establishments, namely, Frederick J. Howell, Edwin Jennings and Vice-president Frank G. Richards of the John B. Stetson Company. They're after business, and knowing how diversity in business setter Cummings is, I rather think he will not come away empty handed.

The career of Mr. Cummings is interesting. He began humbly with the famous founder of this unique concern, was early taken by Mr. Stetson as a "comer," was taken under the veteran hat maker's wing, and developed into an ideal successor as head of the business. It is now a much bigger business than when Mr. Stetson passed on.

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Who's to succeed Will Hays as Postmaster General? You may have noticed the name of Senator Lenroot Thompson mentioned. If selected, he would be an ideal man for the job.

Colonel Thompson's career constitutes a typical American fact romance. Born in the "wild and wooly West" when it was not uncommon for Indians to go on the rampage, young Bill Thompson early developed into a crack shot. While still a mere lad, he staked out claims for himself and saw to it that the necessary amount of work was done on them to retain ownership. After he went to college, he used to return home and get busy on his claims. Some of them turned out very well and this enabled the aggressive young westerner to launch on a fruitful career. A not comparatively early age he amassed millions.

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This will check bucket shopping by members. It will put on the stock exchange successfully repudiate the bucket shop on the outside when some stock exchange firms accept accounts of houses doing this dishonest business? The excuse that they do not know will not hold!

This warning is badly needed. "I should like to suggest to officers of banks that they be extremely cautious in recommending some dealers in securities. This has at times been responsible for the introduction of elements of doubtful value." This has been a flagrant evil.

"I would suggest that an advisory committee be instituted which shall at all times confer with those brokers doing an odd-lot business as to the best way of giving prompt and efficient service and the best possible prices to the public." (This innovation should mean much to small investors.)

"Has the time come when, if we are required as responsible citizens we should of our own volition lay all the facts in our possession before public authority, and cooperate with public authority in prosecuting the offender?" (Yes, this time assuredly has come.)

I understand that certain old-fashioned members of the exchange resent the proposed regular and thorough examination of all stock exchange firms on the ground that they do not want any "outsiders prying into our affairs." All banks are examined by "outsiders." If the stock exchange members do not submit voluntarily to such reforms, they will inevitably be taken in hand by law. The public is in no mood to tolerate obstructionist tactics by old fogy firms twenty years behind the times or by crooks.

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Stocks Close Strong in Active New York Market; Sterling at a New High

BEAR TRADERS MAKE FOR COVER

Prices Ascend From Fractions to Four Points; Equipments Led in the Rise

By W. H. ROSS
Financial Editor

Stocks closed strong in New York, having been up all the morning. Final prices were about the highest for the day. Baldwin was up more than four points at the end, the trading was active to approximately 400,000 shares. New Haven was a strong rail, being up almost a point and dealt in on considerable scale.

Short covering continued at the opening and almost all active issues advanced, gains ranging from fractions to several points. Equipments were an early feature. Baldwin rising nearly three points within a few minutes. American Locomotive was also strong. Pullman climbed four to its highest since 1920, but made most of its gain late in the session. One to two points gains were made by Lima Locomotive, Railway Steel Spring, Pressed Steel Car, Studebaker, Chandler, General Asphalt, Mexican Petroleum, Royal Dutch, Crucible, Texas Company, American Tobacco and Marine preferred. Sears Roebuck sagged more than a point, but Montgomery Ward & Jones was down three before the close. Profit taking was made on the prices heading for computing and tabulating, Inspiration, Texas & Pacific, Electric Storage Battery, American Woolen and Davison Chemical. Afterwards Corn Products, which was off a fraction, sold at its highest price since last year, while Sears Roebuck recovered most of its loss.

Sentiment was bullish despite the recent money rate and the failure of the Federal Reserve System to again report an increase in brokers' loans. Notwithstanding present quotations it is believed that money will be much cheaper for borrowers before long. Stocks were helped this morning by the further advance of sterling exchange. At $4.32 demand sterling was at its highest since August 1, 1919. Continental rates were higher. High money has softened the bond market to some extent. Liberty issues were a little lower this morning. The advance of stocks is said to be due to the desire to clean up interest and the completion of liquidation. When readjustments have been made bears expect a reaction.

PRICES CHANGES MIXED IN BOSTON MARKET

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New York Stocks

Prices on the New York Stock Exchange from the opening until the close had the following changes:

Stocks	Open	High	Low	Close
Abanx Exresse...	53½	54½	53½	53½
Adv Rumely	13¾	13¾	13¼	13¼
Am. Rubber	14½	15	14¾	14¾
Allis Chalmers ...	45¾	46¾	45¾	46¾
Allied Chemical ..	59	59	58¾	58¾
Am Ag Chemical..	45¾	45¾	45¾	45¾
Am Beet Sugar....	26	26	25¾	25¾
Am Booch Mag....	36¾	37¼	36¾	36¾
Am Can	38	38¾	38	38
Am Car & Fdy	146½	146½	146½	146½
Am Comm Oil	20¾	20¾	20¾	20¾
Am Drug Syn	5¾	5¾	5¾	5¾
Am Hide& Leather	14¾	14¾	14¾	14¾
Am H & L pr	64¾	64¾	64¾	64¾
Am Ice	96¾	96¾	96¾	96¾
Am Int Corp	42¾	42¾	42	42¾
Am La France....	9¾	9¾	9¾	9¾
Am Linseed....	32¼	32¼	32¼	32¼
Am Locomotive..	108	108½	107½	108½
Am Sm & Ref....	9	9	9	9
Am Sm & Ref	46¾	47	46¾	46¾
Am Steel Fdy....	32¾	32¾	32¾	32¾
Am Sugar	67	67¼	67	67¼
Am Smelting....	29¾	29¾	28¾	29
Am Tel & Tel....	118¾	118¾	118¾	118¾
Am Tobacco	137	137¼	137	137
Am Woolens....	83	83¾	82¾	83¾
Am Writing Pr	27¼	27¼	27	27¼
Am Zinc	13¾	13¾	13¾	13¾
Anaconda.....	48½	49	48¾	49
Associated Dry G.	32¾	32¾	32¾	32¾
Ass T & SF....	96¾	96¾	96¼	96¾
At Gulf & WI	27¼	27¼	27¼	27¼
Baldwin Loco	98½	102¾	98½	101¾
Balt & Ohio	34¾	34¾	34¾	34¾
Balt & Ohio pr	56	56	56	56
Barnsdall B	20	20	20	20
Bath Steel B	47¾	47¾	47¾	47¾
Burns Brothers	117¼	117¾	117	117
Burns Brothers B.	82¾	82¾	81¾	82¾
Barr Super	27¼	27¼	27¼	27¼
Butterick	13¾	13¾	13¾	13¾
Calahan Zinc	6¾	6¾	6¾	6¾
Cal Packing	70¼	70¼	70¼	70¼
Cal Petrol	48¼	48¼	48¼	48¼
Can Pacific	125¼	125¼	125¼	125¼
Cen Leather	32¾	32¾	32¾	32¾
Cerro de Pasco	33¾	33¾	33¾	33¾
Chand Motors	64	65	64	64¾
Ches & Ohio	56½	56½	56½	56½
Chini	26¾	26¾	26¾	26¾
Chi Copper	17¾	17¾	7	20
Chi Gt West pr	16	16	16	16
Chi N W	84¾	84¾	84¾	84¾
Chi Rock Island..	22¾	22¾	22¾	22¾
Chi Mil & St P....	19¼	19¼	18¾	19¼
Chi St P & M pr..	32¾	32¾	32¾	32¾
Chicago Peabody..	67	67	65	65
Cocoa Cola	44¾	44¾	44¾	44¾
Col Fuel & I	26¾	26¾	26¾	26¾
Col Gas & Elec....	69	69¼	69	69¼
Colorado Fuel	27¾	27¾	27¾	27¾
Col Southern	39½	39¾	39½	39¾
Comm Cab & Sto....	67¾	67¾	67¾	67¾
Con Can Co	66¾	66¾	65¾	66¾
Cons Textile	13	13	13	13
Cons Products....	103¾	103¾	103¾	103¾
Cordon	34¾	35	34¾	35
Crucible	62¼	62¼	62¼	62¼
Cuban Am Sugar..	18¾	19¾	18¾	19¾
Cuban Cane Sug....	10	10	10	10
Cuba Cane S pr....	69½	69½	69½	69½
Del & Hudson	109½	109½	109½	109½
Detroit Chemical..	60¾	60¾	60¾	60¾
Denv Rio G pr	60¾	60¾	60¾	60¾
Elec Storage Bat..	143½	144¼	143½	144¼
Fa Gold Johnson..	85¼	85¼	85¼	85¼
Erie	9½	9½	9½	9½
Erie 1st pr	19¾	19¾	19¾	19¾
Erie 2nd pr	14¾	14¾	14¾	14¾
Fisk Rubber	14¾	14¾	13¾	13¾
Freeport Tex.....	14¼	14¾	13¾	13¾
Gen Asphalt	61¼	61¾	60¾	60¾
General Electric..	147	148	147	147
Gen Motors.....	9	9	8¾	8¾
Goodrich Rub	37	37	36¾	36¾
Gray & Davis	18¾	19¾	18¾	19¾
Gt Northern pr	74	74	74	74
Gt Northern pr	74	74	74	74
Gulf Steel	71	72¼	71	71¾
Hupp Motors.....	10¾	10¾	10¾	10¾
Houston Oil.....	75¾	75¾	75¾	75¾
Ill Central R R	100¾	101	100¾	101
Inspiration.....	18¾	19¾	18¾	19¾
Interboro Cons	3¼	3¼	3	3
Interboro pr	8¾	8¾	8¾	8¾
Int Harvester	82¾	82¾	82¾	82¾
Int Mer Marine	15½	16	15½	15½
Int Nickel	18¾	19¾	18¾	19¾
Int Nickel	12¾	12¾	12¾	12¾
Int Paper Co.....	50	50	50	50
Int Paper pr	65¾	65¾	65¾	65¾
Island Oil.....	21¾	21¾	21¾	21¾
Kansas City S	13¾	13¾	13¾	13¾
Kelly Tire	8	8	7¾	7¾
Kennecott	28¾	28¾	28¾	28¾
Lackawanna.....	47	47	47	47
Lehigh Valley	49	49	49	49
Loew's Inc.....	11¾	11¾	11¾	11¾
Lott Inc	11	11	11	11
Mexican Pete	114½	116¾	113¾	114¾
Mexican Seaboard..	20¾	20¾	19¾	19¾
Middle States	12	12¾	12	12¾
Miami Copper	20	20¼	19¾	19¾
Missouri Pac	38¾	38¾	38¾	38¾
Missouri Pac pr	48¾	49¼	48¾	48¾
Nat Enamel....	41	41	40¾	40¾
New Haven	16¾	17¼	16¾	17¼
N Y Central.....	78½	79	78½	79
Northern Pac	58¾	58¾	58	58¾
Ohio Cities.....	11	11	11	11
Pacific Oil.....	49¾	49¾	49¾	49¾
Pan Am Pete	23¾	23¾	23¾	23¾
Pan Am Pete B	46	46	46	46
Penn Seaboard....	24¾	24¾	24¾	24¾
Penn Sta Steel....	87¾	88¼	87¾	88¼
People's Gas	56¾	56¾	56¾	56¾
Pere Marquttes	21	21¼	20¾	21
Philadelphia	37¾	37¾	37¾	37¾
Piere Oil	9¾	9¾	9¾	9¾
Plttsb & W Va	24¾	24¾	24¾	24¾
Pullman	113¾	117¾	113¾	117¾
Press Steel Car	45¾	45¾	45¾	45¾
Punta Sugar.....	38¼	38¾	37	37
Ray Con	14¾	14¾	14¾	14¾
Reading	73¾	73¾	73¾	73¾
Republic I & S....	57¾	57¾	57¾	57¾
Rock Island pr	50¾	51	50¾	50¾
St Louis S & F....	12¾	12¾	12¾	12¾
Sears Roebuck	39¾	39¾	39¾	39¾
Seneca Copper	17¾	18¼	17¾	18¼
Sinclair Oil.....	19¼	19¼	19¼	19¼
Sinclair	82¾	82¾	82¾	82¾
So Railway	21¾	21¾	21¾	21¾
Studebaker.....	63¾	64¾	63¾	64¾
Tenn Copper.....	10¾	11	10¾	11
Texas Co	40½	40¾	39¾	40¾
Texas & Pac.....	30¼	30¼	29¾	30¼
T P Coal & Oil....	18¾	18¾	18¾	18¾
Union Pacific	135¾	135¾	135¾	135¾
Trans-Con Oil....	9¾	9¾	9¾	9¾
Union Oil.....	18¾	18¾	18¾	18¾
United Drug.....	123	128	123	128
United Fruit	140¾	140¾	138	138
United Retail	10¾	10¾	10¾	10¾
U S Food Prod....	58¾	60¾	58¾	58¾
U S I Alcohol....	44	44¾	44	44¾
U S Realty.....	61	61	61	61
U S Rubber.....	55	56	55	56
U S Steel	77¾	78¼	77¾	78¼
U S Steel pr.....	115¾	116¾	115¾	116¾
Utah Copper.....	43	43¼	43	43¼
Vanadium	45¾	46	45¾	46
Wabash	20¾	20¾	20¼	20¼
West Maryland....	36¼	36¼	36	36
West Pacific B....	16	16	16	16
Westinghouse.....	43¾	43¾	43	43
Wheel & L E.....	13	13¼	13	13
White Motors.....	33¾	40	33¾	39¾
Wilys Ov	9¾	10	9¾	9¾
Worthington.....	87¾	87¾	87¾	87¾
Woolworth.....	102¾	103	102¾	102¾

GOVERNMENT BONDS.

Liberty 3½s.....	99 50	99 50	99 50	99 50
1st 4 1932-47....	96 50	96 54	96 50	96 54
2nd 4s 1927-42....	95 78	96	95 78	95 90
1st 4½s 1932-47..	96 46	96 50	96 46	96 50
2nd 4½s 1927-42..	96 34	96 36	96 34	96 36
3d 4½s 1928.....	97 10	97 40	97 14	97 26
4th 4¼s 1 8.....	96 40	96 44	96 40	96 50
Victory 4¾s.....	100 26	100 28	100 24	100 26
Victory 4¼s.....	100 22	100 24	100 20	100 22

Bar Silver Lower

In London today bar silver was quoted at 34½d an ounce, a decline of ½d since last night.

SPILLANE SEES GOOD IN 'BANK OF NATIONS'

Plan for Creation of New Credit System May Aid U. S., Writer Thinks

By RICHARD SPILLANE.

Philadelphia, Feb. 4.—United States Senator Gilbert M. Hitchcock will be the principal speaker at the Chamber of Commerce luncheon in the Bellevue Stratford Monday. He has introduced a bill to establish a bank of nations to promote and regulate commerce with foreign nations." He proposes that the bank shall have a capitalization of $2,-000,000,000, that the United States shall subscribe for $1,000,000,000 of the stock and that the institution shall act as fiscal agent for all nations adopting the plan.

The explanation of his plan for the creation of a sound credit system wherefor financial stability may be restored should be of deep interest.

NATIONS SUFFERING.

All the nations of the earth are suffering because of the disorder of the exchanges. If the Senator's plan will relieve the financial world and check the present widmess in the allocations, it would be of incalculable worth.

He is an orator of fine ability, and would have a big and representative audience.

Charles M. Schwab is a delight as a speaker. A newspaper man who was at the dinner of the Railway Business Association at the Waldorf-Astoria Wednesday night, had Mr. Schwab at his right, and Haley Fiske at his left. From his place at the president's table, he looked down at common people like Julius Rosenthal, of the Southern Pacific, Daniel Willard of the B. & O., and Fred Underwood of the Erie.

SCHWAB TELLS STORIES.

Mr. Schwab told story after story to the delight of his colleagues. One of his stories was of a free lunch privilege he enjoyed.

Long ago, when he was young in the service of Andrew Carnegie company, he used to ride on the Pennsylvania Railroad headquarters about the time the directors met. He was after orders. Frank Thomson, Pennsylvania president of the road, took a great fancy to him. Frequently he would say: "Pennsylvania gatherings. One day Mr. Thomson took out a card and wrote on it that Schwab had called and that "this is good for a free lunch for Charles M. Schwab until further orders."

Mr. Schwab has retained the card. Now the Pennsylvania and Thomson have been several presidents of the Pennsylvania since he died, but now and then Mr. Schwab presents the doorkeeper at a Pennsylvania directors' meeting, calling for lunch. He is told after the doorkeeper looks it over and declares that it still is in force, and Schwab gets a bite to eat and doesn't have to pay.

RESPONDS TO CALLS.

When the dinner orders were over at the dinner Wednesday night there were instant calls for "Schwab, Schwab." And the steel man was ready to respond. It wasn't so much what he said as how he said it that provoked laughter and applause.

He poked fun at Mr. Underwood, paid very graceful compliments to Mr. Willard, Mr. Thomson and Eugene Meyer and then he told a story not altogether new but admirably told, about the son of the doughboy who had done a lot of brave things in France and was one of a party of Americans being introduced in London. This doughboy sat beside a young Duchess at a party.

He was embarrassed by the surroundings and for a time was tongue-tied. At last he broke the ice. Leaning over to his companion he said:

"I don't know just what's the regular thing to say at one of these affairs, but I'll tell you this, Duchess, you certainly look good to me."

FISKE AS FINE MIND.

Haley Fiske, president of The Metropolitan Life, the largest insurance company of its kind in the world, is a fine mind and has the rare faculty of economy in the use of words. He can say in a dozen sentences than most men can in five minutes of explanation, or description.

In the shank of the evening Mr. Fiske thought it was time to go home. "I think I'll make my escape gracefully," he whispered. He should imagine that the newspaper man said "Good night" and arose. He only went a short distance and sat down at the table, changed a few words with another friend for a quarter of a minute, then got up and repeated the round for the great room and out into the lobby. He had disturbed nobody. He had made no notice.

INCONVENIENCED NO ONE.

Most men getting up and leaving a banquet hall inconvenience many persons and distract the attention of many. Not that Mr. Fiske has the person deliver ing a speech is saying.

Mr. Fiske did not.

Mr. Fiske's movements meshed thought and consideration of others in the manner of which he is famous and that he is likely to display like qualities in his general business.

A friend asked the newspaper man what he thought of the gathering. "Words fail me," the writer replied. "For I was confounded with admiration of money and brains."

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Chicago Grain Market

Chicago, Feb. 4.—Opening prices were: Wheat, May, 1.24¾, off 1-4; July, 1.06, off 1-4. Corn, May, 67½, off 1-4; July, 70¾, off ¼. Oats, May, 49¾, off ¼; July, 40¾, off ¼.

London Money Rates

London, Feb. 4.—Money, 2 per cent. Discount rates, short bills, 3⅝ per cent.; three months' bills, 3 7-16 per cent.

New York Curb

New York, Feb. 4.—Opening prices for leading New York Curb stocks were:

Stocks	Bid	Asked
Imperial Oil, Delaware	2¼	2⅜
International Combustion	11¼	11½
International Petroleum	21⅛	21¼
Kerr Petroleum	2¾	2⅞
Lincoln Motors	4¾	5
Magma Copper	21	21¼
Philip Copper	3	3⅛
Radio	4¼	4⅜
Simms Petroleum	4⅝	4¾
Texon Oil	2⅞	3
United Profit Sharing	2⅛	2¼

WALL ST. GOSSIP

By MONITOR.

NEW YORK, Feb. 4.—Further gains in activity and strength were registered by Friday's stock market with the market movements reflecting a growing breadth of interest. Short covering played its part in the upturn, but a goodly portion of the buying appeared to be for the account of those who had liquidated long stocks recently and were desirous of getting them back. It is difficult to explain the favorable changes in the market tone on any other ground than the belief in apparently well informed quarters that many of the misgivings over a domestic and foreign political situation are subsiding, and that confidence once more is taking the place of anxiety.

THE consummation of the Naval disarmament program, the feeling that the political cliques in Congress have felt they were carrying things too far, the growing opposition to Soldiers' Bonus bill and the evidence of a big trade revival now upward toward production costs may be given the credit for the improvement in sentiment.

THERE was no feature of outstanding importance in the market. Several of the specialties shared about equally in the demonstrations of loyalty on the part of the buying element. Motors, American Snuff advanced about ten points. Woolworth made a new high record. Another strong specialty was Otis Elevator. Missouri Pacific preferred, by showing a sharp rise turnover, stimulated considerable buying among the low-grade rails. Texas Pacific made a new high at 31, St. Paul preferred was firm, and New Haven sold more than four points above the low level of early January. Rumors were afloat the rails once more is quite friendly.

THE weekly statement of the Federal Reserve System, as well as the New York Federal Reserve Bank, shows a decline in the reserve ratio this week, largely as a result of the heavy fiscal operations attending the offering of the Treasury notes. The decline took place notwithstanding an increase in reserves and a decrease in note circulation.

THERE has been extensive accumulation by important interests in certain of the copper stocks. Professionals have sold Anaconda, knowing that on February 10 certificates would be delivered to shareholders of the American Smelting Company. It has been assumed that a large quantity of this stock would be sold. Some of it has been in the hands of the professionals, but the delivery, thus creating a technical short interest which has been responsible for much of the activities of the professionals. Close observers of the trading in Anaconda and Utah Copper express the opinion that a bear trap will be sprung within a short time.

THE oil stocks were actively bought through the day's session. A considerable speculative activity is due to manipulation, but behind the manipulation there is a background of unprecedented profits in the oil industry. The prices in some of the fields are below prices actually being paid, according to an observer who has just returned from a visit to the fields in the Southwest. A considerable part of the buying in the more better class of these stocks is for the account of oil interests.

ROYAL DUTCH has all the earmarks of being under accumulation. The stock is out of line, in the opinion of many brokers, with the other stocks of this group. In addition to a development work in Mexico, the company has an unbroken dividend record of twenty years and for additional consideration has valuable properties in the South American fields and the strong financial position of the company.

THE Missouri Pacific stocks, both common and preferred, wave exceptionally active and strong today as these issues was referred to some time ago as being the important banking interests. The financial community is convinced that this Spring dividends will be resumed on the preferred stock.

CHANDLER Motors easily was the leader of the motor group. It is understood that a bear clique began selling this stock around 48, and that it is fighting the advance. Buying Friday was reported as largely for the account of interests identified with the company. Reports filtering in from Chicago indicate that sales there are much greater than those of the New York show, where the largest number of cars were sold at any display found purchasers.

WOOLWORTH sold today at 155¾, the highest price ever recorded for the stock. Within the past week there have been reports that a stock dividend would be declared. Official confirmation never has been given them. Officials of the company appreciate the necessity of maintaining the buying of the stock is by investors and is based on the large volume of business and satisfactory profits which the company shows.

OF the tobacco stocks, United Retail Stores has been the most consistent in the section recently. It is understood that a new policy has been inaugurated in the handling of the business of this concern, and that the erratic fluctuations which formerly characterized it are a thing of the past. The stock has been advancing slowly but steadily and among today's buyers were reported to be tobacco Products. The selling price of this latter stock is believed to fairly represent its present worth.

ALTHOUGH there was a large amount of money unloaded at the close of business Thursday, the opening rate for money was 5% per cent. Friday was 5¼ per cent. By noon the rate had declined to 5 per cent, and late borrowers obtained their money as low as 4½ per cent. The abundance of funds is ascribed by bankers to subscriptions, which were not allotted for the treasury bonds. It brought into existence again today the "outside" money market, where loans were reported as low as 4 per cent.

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TRADE OUTLOOK IS BRIGHTER, EVANS SAYS

Expectations Painted Profusely Over Boards of Brokers, Writer Declares

By C. B. EVANS.

Chicago, Feb. 4.—The trade in expectations in this city is increasing little by little and over the blackboards of the stock brokers more diffusely than ever, out so many of the optimistic ideas that last year or in 1920, that caution is still exercised.

But even in bear parlors dreamers of sands a soak in oil, of the world lighted and heated more than ever by the electrical companies, of machinery clattering to make steel things for the railroads and the mills and even of automobiles snowing the great obstacles to their prosperity off the lists.

An illustration is the case of a man in the management of an oil company, which has had and now has around 53 per share, which he declares should be worth $10 to $15 right now.

It should be remembered that expectations are fine and that it is dangerous to buy into an oversupply of anything, but there are happenings outside the stock market which give considerable support to the hopes of buyers.

WHEAT CREEPING UP.

Wheat has been creeping up lately. It will be remembered in this connection that the country doubled the price some months ago because of the discovery of a short crop. There remains finding a short world shortage of wheat.

The bravery of a commodity that has been badly mauled and on which bears are certainly inspiring. A few months ago nothing looked more discouraging than the status of that article, but one can say the same thing of cotton today and now that commodity is eagerly bought in many markets of the world. Some good judges believe that wheat is selling at a time when the seeds are sown and a tone which lacks the strength that holders of the property would like.

Then can find improved conditions in many articles of commerce, but the process now going on will not be convincing to the public until it has been got rid of their wilted appearances.

Business is distinctly encouraging, but many firms are in a much greater area than ever before, but the world has not been entirely skinned and many lines have already been covered with fresh envelope.

The fact that many farmers are badly off as the worst reports have made out. Of course those who saw the signs of the times ahead and saved up profits from the big prices of products should be in flush condition, but even making due allowance for this yield to the constant temptation to buy things.

The needy appear to have been fairly well supplied with funds through the various devices of the government and the effect is visible over the whole area.

FARMER BETTER OFF.

As to income tax, an authority calls attention to interpretations by the Internal Revenue Bureau under which the average farmer, operating on a small, the farm with its household requirements as well as its production is better off than under the old law in manufacturing concern, which allows for cost of operation.

It is pointed out that the status of the farmer is better in that respect than the city resident, who cannot deduct the cost of living expenses or social expenses in abatement of his tax. Then also the farmer in many places is free of the employers liability for injuries to employed persons.

The condition of the farmers will be measured largely in the future by the ability of many farmers to pay what cannot be called large now, but the companies have latterly worked off nearly their entire stocks of coal by clogging up their premises. Payments are not going through formerly required. Indeed, it appears to be a policy to make the ordinary period for settling accounts in two years instead of one.

ECONOMY INCREASES

Economy in household expenses is made more prevalent than heretofore. The good wife buys cloth instead of fully made garments, and the next step is the complete dress of her own manufacture, having drawn on the pattern sheet for her guidance.

The reported starting up of the International Harvester works at Milwaukee is another big item in the list. The company expects improvement in business this year, but nothing great. There has been a big reduction in wages paid by the company since November

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Railroad Items

The Erie Railroad has applied for a government loan of $2,500,000 to be used at maturity on April 1, 1922, and the Missouri Pacific has applied for $2,000,000 to be used at maturity on April 15. In December, but it receives sales of $573,360 in January, as against $194,000 in December and $1,000,000 in January, 1921.

In December the operating income of the New York, Chicago & St. Louis increased $750,000 over that of 1921 to $1,184,354. Receipts from operations were $1,000,000 more than in December, 1921, and net operating income of $500,000 more.

The Illinois Central has applied for authority to issue $5,000,000 receivers' certificates, proceeds to be used in purchase of equipment.

Loadings of revenue freight for the week ended January 28 totaled 846,000

$1,000 IS YOURS BY WORKING THREE WEEKS

Award Goes to One Sending Largest List in the Membership Contest

Would you work three weeks for $1,000?

WILL you work three weeks for $1,000?

One thousand dollars is the sum the Boston American will pay to the reader who (having taken part in the recent Book Test) sends in the largest number of names and addresses of New Contestants for the Famous Titles Test, which begins on March 1.

The reader who sends in the second largest number of New Contestants will be paid $750!

The one who forwards the third largest list of New Contestants will receive $500!

For the fourth largest list the Boston American will pay $400!

Fifth, $300; sixth, $200; seventh, $150; eighth $100; ninth, $50.

One hundred awards of $10 each; one hundred and ten awards of $5 each.

219 CASH AWARDS.

This Membership Competition is open only to those who took part in the recent Book Test. They understand the Picture Tests and are qualified to talk of them to their friends, neighbors and acquaintances. The Picture Tests are at once entertaining and educational. They are good pastime —and in each there are $10 cash awards to be distributed, with a total value of $3,000.

ANY reader of the Boston American will be welcome to take part in the $1,000 Famous Titles Test, which will begin in these columns on Wednesday, March 1. Only those who took part in the Book Test may enter or can take part in the preliminary $5,000 Membership Competition.

The Editor, who regards the participants in these Tests as his friends, expects every Book Test participant to send in the name of at least ONE New Member.

And if the Test Editor were a younger man, and were not connected with this newspaper, he would get a leave of absence for the 28 days of February and make everybody else fight for the $1,000 award in the Membership Competition.

OPPORTUNITY FOR GIRLS.

This proposition should appeal to more than one young woman who reads these words. For pluck and go-to-it-ness the girl of today has it all over her brother of the same age. Well, young ladies, here are a few parcels: $1,000, $750, $500, $400, $300, etc., and you may take your choice.

Only three weeks, remember, and—unless some one knocks off work and makes this his exclusive business—that chance that anyone will roll up much of a score.

Go to it—and good luck!

Even though you may be in the way of earning $1,000 in the Book Test, there is no reason why you should not take the $1,000 award in the Membership Competition and again look for a Thousand Dollar goal in the Famous Titles Test.

A special circular is on the way to every participant in the Book Test, telling more about the Membership Competition and enclosing three Enrollment Blanks. In order to count in your favor your lists of New Members, names on these blanks must reach the Boston American on or before March 1.

NO. 23 TITLE OF BOOK.

And now a word about one of today's two Correct Titles.

The Correct Title of Book Test Drawing No. 23 is "As It Was in the Beginning."

Regardless of all that has been printed on the subject, some few are found to arise in their places and say:

"Well, at last we've got you! YOU said it would be possible to find the Correct Title of one of Titles EVEN IF ONE KNEW NOTHING ABOUT THE BOOK. And now you say that the story of Adam and Eve in the Garden, and that the Correct Title is 'As It Was in the Beginning!' Now, Mister, could one know that unless he had read the book?"

The answer is that the book referred to in Lot of Title is the book. The program is to be the Valentine drill by the younger members of the Boston Sunday Schools, including:

Priscilla Rhodes, Helen Rhodes, Janette Sabine, Ruth Sabine, Nina Dorwood, Mildred Hill, Mrs. Lewis Washburn, Helen Morton, Pauline Dillingham, Emily Davis, Elizabeth Sprague, Elizabeth Brewster, Barbara Forbes, Anna Goodridge, Madeline Post and Madeline Grenadel.

Another bill be the "Boston Fancy," arranged by Miss Edith Rotch, by the following:

Charles M. Rotch and Miss Martha T. Brown, Arthur M. Goodridge and Miss Ruth Simonds, Henry Sherwin Badger and Miss Edith G. Nichols, Francis P. Munroe and Miss Edith E. Rotch, Louis V. N. Washburn and Miss Ella deT. Snelling and A. Winsor Weld and Mrs. N. W. Niles.

LE GRAND-MIKOVA

The joint recital by Yvonne Le Grand, soprano, and Marie Mikova, pianist, is causing a great deal of interest. Madame Le Grand appeared on Tuesday evening in Cambridge, under the patronage of Mrs. E. Burlingham Hill.

Miss Mikova, the young Bohemian pianist, is likewise popular among the musical section of society. Prominent among those who are lovers of the best in piano music.

PROGRAM.

1. Soeur ..... Back-Saint-Georg
Pastorale ..... Scarlatti
March from "Holns of Athens" ..... Beethoven
2. Je suis Gris—from "Cherubin" ..... Massenet
Le Rossignol ..... Lalo
Si mes vers avaient des ailes ..... Debussy
Le Temps des Cerises ..... Duparc
3. Nocturne, Op. 37, No. 2 ..... Chopin
Scherzo in C Sharp Minor ..... Arensky
4. Chanson Triste ..... Duparc
Pourquoi rester sesolette ..... Saint-Saens
Air de Chimene—from "Le Cid" ..... Massenet
5. Etoile ..... Rogers
March and Tarter (Theme) ..... Mikova
In Spring (Embryo Melody)
Ballade (Tarter Theme) ..... Mikova

Girl With Flaxen Hair ..... Debussy
Minstrels ..... Debussy
4th Rhapsody ..... Liszt
Barcarole ..... Rubinstein
Menuet sur Amor ..... Boccherini
Au Matin ..... Rubinstein
Noel Paien ..... Mikova

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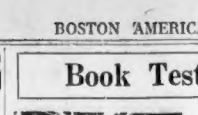

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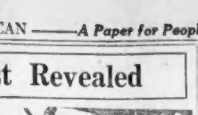

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PERSHING LAUDS WRITERS OF WAR NEWS

Service Not Fully Appreciated at Time, He Tells American Correspondents

Washington, Feb. 4.—At a complimentary luncheon which he tendered to them at the Metropolitan Club, General Pershing eulogized the American war correspondents for their work in the World War.

"As I look back at it," said General Pershing, "I am sure we of the army and the folks at home whom you so ably served did not quite appreciate the full value of your compliments rendered, the difficulties you encountered and the obstacles which you overcame.

"We all sincerely hope that there will be no occasion to summon you again for war service, but if such emergency should arise you may be assured that everything possible will be done by the army to facilitate your work. If any of you have suggestions which you think might help the committee in charge of war regulations, I shall be glad to receive them at any time."

It was the first reunion of the correspondents who had been accredited with the A. E. F. on the western front. General Pershing took advantage of the fact that many of the correspondents since the close of the war have been assigned to Paris, London and other foreign cities to meet the 18 Washington correspondents who attended the disarmament conference.

The war correspondents who attended were: Junius B. Wood, Chicago News, just back from Japan; Raymond B. Carroll, in charge of the New York Bureau of the Philadelphia Public Ledger; Martin Green, New York World; Newton C. Parke, International News Service. Fred Ferguson, United Press; Carl Miller, United Press; Frank Taylor, New York Globe; Otto Higgins, formerly with Kansas City Star; Hirge McFall, formerly with Associated Press and now with Japanese Legation; Burr Price, formerly of New York Herald; Norman Draper, formerly of Associated Press; Robert Small, Philadelphia Public Ledger, and Bert Ford, of the Boston American.

ICE CARNIVAL TO AID ELLIS BOYS' CLUB

A mid-Winter skating carnival will be held in the Arena on February 14 for the benefit of the Ellis Memorial Boys' Club. The program as announced includes fourteen or fifteen events of interest to skaters.

It is to open with a burlesque hockey game between the Ellis Memorial Boys' Club and the Begamens. Nathaniel W. Niles, national champion junior champion of New York State; Theresa Weld Blanchard, Sherwin C. Badger and Miss Wide Fox.

Theresa Weld Blanchard and Niles will give a pair skating exhibition. Then will follow the grand prize program is to be the Valentine drill by the younger members of the Boston Sunday Schools, including:

Priscilla Rhodes, Helen Rhodes, Janette Sabine, Ruth Sabine, Nina Dorwood, Mildred Hill, Mrs. Lewis Washburn, Helen Morton, Pauline Dillingham, Emily Davis, Elizabeth Sprague, Elizabeth Brewster, Barbara Forbes, Anna Goodridge, Madeline Post and Madeline Grenadel.

Another bill be the "Boston Fancy," arranged by Miss Edith Rotch, by the following:

Charles M. Rotch and Miss Martha T. Brown, Arthur M. Goodridge and Miss Ruth Simonds, Henry Sherwin Badger and Miss Edith G. Nichols, Francis P. Munroe and Miss Edith E. Rotch, Louis V. N. Washburn and Miss Ella deT. Snelling and A. Winsor Weld and Mrs. N. W. Niles.

GINTER OPENS MAGNIFICENT RESTAURANT

New Establishment Seats 300 Persons and Contains Old English Grill for Men

The new restaurant, Ambassador, recently opened by The Ginter Company at No. 41 Winter street, achieves the distinction of being one of the most elaborate popular-priced restaurants in the United States, in size, beauty and equipment. It is the sixth Ginter restaurant to be opened in the Boston shopping district.

The new Ambassador occupies the entire second floor of the new Reynolds Building, and the ground floor of the structure at No. 7 Hamilton place. It can be entered from Winter street or Hamilton place, two elevators and an Italian marble stairway serving the Winter street front. The main dining room, seating 200 guests, is Italian Renaissance in design.

A wonderfully carved ceiling, on which fifteen craftsmen have been at more than four months, conceals an entirely new lighting arrangement, as well as the ventilating system for both dining rooms.

On a floor of imported English tile, dark oak tables are set on either side of comfortable lounges. Around the walls extend a series of alternate single and double tufted lounges forming the wall seats, with individual chairs on the outer side.

To the rear of the dining room, two finely proportioned arches give access to the old English grill. This room, intended for men who seek a club-like atmosphere, is patterned after the old "chop-house" of Elizabethan days.

No less interesting is the "invisible arch of corridors which gives access to the cosy of every restaurant depends. The kitchens of the Ambassador are said to be the "last word" in modern culinary equipment. Every known apparatus or device for improving and facilitating the preparation and service of food has been considered.

SHATTUCK NOT TOO BUSY TO AID BOYS

Representative Henry L. Shattuck, a wealthy Back Bay resident, aided two poor West End school boys to settle a question relative to the Constitution of the United States.

He obtained for them the Constitution for Abraham Goldman and Kira Galaid, pupils of the Wendell Phillips School, of the West End, and called at the State House to see a genuine copy of the famous document and then applied to the Legislature to pass remedial legislation.

Ethan Allen Council, American Association for the Protection of the Irish Republic, has passed a resolution endorsing the bill, and on the way again, came back with a copy for each of the youngsters, compliimented them for showing such an interest in the conduct of government, and went on his way again on his legislative business.

Representative Shattuck, when told that the boys wanted a copy of the Constitution of the United States, told them to wait a few minutes, on the way again, came back with a copy for each of the youngsters, complimented them for showing such an interest in the conduct of government, and went on his way again on his legislative business.

HOUGHTON & DUTTON ASSOCIATION ELECTS

A record vote was cast at the annual election of the Houghton & Dutton Company Mutual Relief Association. C. F. Vedder, superintendent of the store and president of the Mutual Relief Association for the past ten years, was elected by a large majority. Miss J. V. Healy was elected vice-president, William J. McNamara, treasurer; financial secretary, John Thomas; recording secretary, Leon Woodard; directors as follows: Misses Emma Young, Helen Shea, Elizabeth Hagan, Margaret Mary, Messrs. P. Joy Reed, Frank Glynn, Charles Dickinson, Herbert Garland and E. S. Woodman.

ARMY SKI JUMPER BAGS THREE FOXES

Sergeant Nicholas P. Hunt of the headquarters detachment, First Corps Area, who is an expert ski jumper, has returned from his recent hunting trip in New Hampshire, having bagged three foxes, two rabbits and one squirrel.

20 P. C. GAIN IN DRUG VICTIMS IS NOTED

Officials Unite in Determined Effort to Suppress Evil in This State

Activities of the various State and city officials devising ways and means of coping with the fast-growing drug evil, have centered on these two plans:

1.—More severe punishment for "dope" pedlars.

2.—Proper treatment of drug addicts.

So tremendous has been the growth of this most insidious of evils in this section of the country in the last year, that officials realize that only by united efforts can the scourge be suppressed.

It is estimated by proper authorities that there are 25,000 drug addicts in Massachusetts—a gain of 20 per cent. in the past two years.

Seeking their source of supply in by-ways, haunting the dim alleys with their never-ending quest for surcease from their twitching, tortured nerves, these slaves of the drug habit have been multiplying rapidly.

BILLS NOW PENDING.

Several bills are now before the Legislature, all aimed at stemming the growing "dope" peril. The bill introduced by Representative Harold H. Wragg of Needham at the request of the Boston American, and providing for heavier punishment for drug vendors, has been endorsed by the heads of practically every department now in contact with the illicit traffic.

But these same officials, police chiefs, penal institutions commissioners and jail keepers, realize that something must be done to meet the problem. Proper care of the unfortunate men and women who fall victims to the "dope" habit is also sought.

When a drug addict is sent to a house of correction to be cured of the habit there is danger of smuggled morphine, cocaine or heroin reaching him. George M. Harlow, master of Deer Island, said that frequently enough "dope" is found at Deer Island; that narcotics are smuggled in to prisoners in every conceivable way.

As to how true addicts shall be treated, there is a difference of opinion. Some favor the "cold turkey" or sudden withdrawal of drugs, is a severe but effective cure, while others favor a little butter to gradually reduce the "shots."

PUBLIC HEARING FEB. 13.

A committee consisting of Thomas C. O'Brien, penal institutions commissioner of Boston; Dr. Bernard W. Carey, deputy State health commissioner, and Solicitor Gen. Dennis Donnelly, of the Attorney General's department will have charge of registering all persons legally entitled to administer "dope" to the sick and would co-ordinate the work now done by several departments of the State. It is also provided that the State police shall have a part in the enforcing the law.

All of these bills will be the subject of a public hearing by the legislative committee on Public Health, at 10 o'clock in the State House at 10:30 a. m., February 13. Representative Frederick P. Glazier of Hyde Park is chairman of the Public Health Committee, invites, as he has done in the past, all persons interested in the present drug situation to attend this hearing.

Praises Boston American's Fight Against Drug Menace

Alarmed by the tremendous growth of the drug traffic in Massachusetts during the past few years, civic organizations are beginning to pass resolutions endorsing the Boston American's exposures of the amazing conditions existing and urging legislature to pass remedial legislation.

Ethan Allen Council, American Association for the Protection of the Irish Republic, has passed a resolution endorsing the bill, now up, to provide jail sentences and to do away with all fines.

The following resolutions were unanimously adopted:

"Whereas, there is at present before the Massachusetts House of Representatives a bill number 956, entitled, 'An act to prevent the use of habit-forming drugs,' and

"Whereas, any measure seeking to alleviate the effects of the most serious traffic known to modern civilization deserves the unqualified endorsement of every good citizen, and

"Whereas, the policy of the British government, in fostering and protecting evil at its source, especially in eastern colonies, forces other countries, for the protection of their people, to take the sternest measures of repression; therefore, be it

"Resolved, that the Ethan Allen Council go on record as endorsing wholeheartedly the aforesaid bill; and be it further

"Resolved, that the Boston American receive our sincerest congratulations on the fight it has led in support of this bill; and be it further

"Resolved, that copies of these resolutions be forwarded to the State Senators and Representatives from this district, with a request that they be included in the records.

SYMPHONY TO GIVE CONCERT IN LYNN

The complete Boston Symphony Orchestra, conducted by Pierre Monteux and containing one hundred musicians, will positively appear at the Olympia Theatre, Lynn, on Sunday afternoon, February 19.

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FLYNN—Feb. 2, Mary T. Flynn, 30 yrs.
Funeral from Sartori Geo. L. Doherty, 94 Medford st., Charlestown, Monday, Feb. 6, at 9 o'clock. High mass of requiem at St. Anne's church at 10 o'clock.
FORBES—In Somerville, Feb. 2, Clara F., widow of the late Edward Parker Forbes, aged 72 yrs.
Funeral services will be held at the John E. Kaufer Funeral Home, 87 Broadway, Somerville, Monday, Feb. 6, at 2 P. M.
GALLAGHER—In Brookline, Feb. 3, Dr. Will, husband of Mary Gallagher, formerly of Tower Academy in his 44th year.
Funeral from his late residence, 31 Cypress st., Brookline, Tuesday, Feb. 7, at 8:30 A. M. Requiem high mass at St. Aidan's church at 9 o'clock. Relatives and friends invited. Kindly omit flowers.
GILSCH—In Somerville, Feb. 2, William A., husband of Mary E. Gilsch, aged 58 yrs.
Funeral from his late residence, 81 Columbus ave., Somerville, Monday, Feb. 6, at 8:30 A. M., thence to St. Joseph's church, Somerville, at 9 o'clock. Solemn high mass of requiem at 9:30 o'clock. Interment in Mount Benedict cemetery. Friends invited.
GIVEN—In Boston, Feb. 2, Joseph F., husband of Emily Keefe (nee Whiter) and son of the late Joseph and Mary (Ryan) Given.
Funeral services at his late residence, 30 Prescott st., Dorchester, Sunday, Feb. 5, at 2:30 P. M. Interment private. Friends may call at the Church Monday, Feb. 6, at 8 A. M. Relatives and friends are invited to attend. Kindly omit flowers. Members of Division 1 are requested to attend.
KEEFE—In Boston, Feb. 3, Joseph F., husband of Emily Keefe (nee Whiter) and son of the late Joseph and Mary (Ryan) Keefe.
Funeral services at his late residence, 30 Prescott st., Dorchester, Sunday, Feb. 5, at 2:30 P. M. Interment private. Friends may call at the Church Monday, Feb. 6, at 8 A. M. Relatives and friends are invited to attend. Kindly omit flowers. Members of Division 1 are requested to attend.
McARDLE—In Medford, Feb. 3, Anna M. McArdle.
Funeral from the family residence, 7 Faulkner place, Melrose, Monday, Feb. 6, at 8:15 A. M., thence to St. Mary's Church, Melrose, at 9 o'clock. Requiem high mass Monday at 8 A. M. Relatives and friends invited. Automobiles cortege.
McMANE—Killed in action, in the Argonne Forest, France, Oct. 4, 1918, Lieut. Joseph Henry McMane, beloved son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Henry A. and Jane McMane (nee Murphy), brother of Charles H. McMane, Jr., and Eleanor McMane, formerly of the North End.
Funeral from the residence of his father, 1 Lexington st., Charlestown, Monday, Feb. 6, at 8:30 A. M., thence to St. Mary's Church, Charlestown, where a solemn high requiem mass Monday at 9 o'clock will be celebrated by the Rev. Edmund J. Cummins, C. S. P.

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No Perpetual Motion—in Machinery or in Your Head

Remember That, Young Gentlemen, and Attend to the Brain Fuel

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Nathan Storm of Middletown, N. Y., thinks that he has "about" solved the problem of perpetual motion.

You know that problem; men have worked on it for thousands of years.

It is the foolish hope that you can get something for nothing. YOU CAN'T. Many men have tried to invent a machine that would keep going without any power applied from the outside. There is no such machine, except, perhaps, the universe around us. About that we know nothing, and can know nothing.

One English land owner spent a fortune trying to use over again the power of the falling water in a stream. He spent his whole fortune trying to get water of the stream uphill again so that he could use power over and over. Two minutes' thinking ought to have told him that the power necessary to raise the water would be greater than the power produced by the falling water.

That is so because when you utilize power you always lose part of the power in the friction of the machinery.

The Middletown carpenter says the perpetual motion machine on which he will soon get a patent "will drive anything that can be driven from a shaft twenty-four hours a day for five years without interruption." It will do all of those things, and many more, until you actually try it out PRACTICALLY.

Then it will be added to the many perpetual motion machine failures.

About the best that men can do in the way of perfecting motion and the use of power is to develop good lubricants, oils, perfect ballbearings and especially economical sources of power.

One of these days we shall harness up the power of the sun, which is absolutely unlimited. It could easily supply a thousand little earths like ours. After that we won't worry about perpetual motion, for as long as the sun roams through the heavens, dragging us along with it, we shall have all we want by using the flaming power.

Here is the idea for YOUNG gentlemen and ladies, and OLD men and women, in connection with the carpenter's mistaken idea that he has found perpetual motion:

What applies to machines applies to BRAINS.

You cannot get power out of a machine without putting power INTO IT. And you cannot get power out of a brain without putting power INTO IT.

A machine may seem to run along of its own accord. Cut off the gas in your automobile and you will "coast" for some time. If you happen to be going down hill, as long as the DOWN hill part lasts you will run. But you will stop eventually.

So with the human brain. We start off in youth with energy and power from our ancestors. And we have also the energy stored up in the imaginings of childhood.

We go to school or college and come out supplied with a certain amount of brain fuel, and the brain runs more or less well, according to the quality of the machine through which the spirit works.

Many are foolish enough to think about their brains what Carpenter Storm of Middletown thinks of his machine—namely, that they will run on indefinitely without fuel. That's a dangerous theory.

To make a machine run you must put in gasoline or steam or oil—something TO DRIVE IT.

To make a brain keep running you must put into it the fuel that it needs.

That fuel is to be found only in good BOOKS, conversation with older, wiser, thoughtful people, CONTEMPLATION, study of facts, from the tiniest living creature at your feet to the biggest star in the sky at night.

If you don't feed the brain, it won't work, although it may deceive you, with your hearty co-operation, into the belief that it is working.

If you want the machine to go, feed it with power. If you want the brain to go, feed it with the fuel which drives thought.

You may say: "I haven't read a serious book in five years, and I am doing pretty well." Probably, but your mind is only coasting, slowing down all the time. Come back in five years and you won't be doing so well.

Election of the Judges by the People

Growth of Sentiment in Favor Largely a Reaction Against Usurpation of Political Power by Federal Court

It cannot be doubted that there has been a surprising increase of sentiment in this State in favor of the election of judges by the people.

Only six out of forty-eight States now appoint their judges, and only three, we believe, appoint them for life. In all the rest of the States the judges are elected by the people.

The growth of this sentiment is largely a reaction against the high handed usurpation of political power by the Federal Court, whose judges are appointed for life, and usually groomed and recommended by the big corporations with their prejudices and their obligations fixed before they become judges.

The growth of the sentiment in favor of the election of judges in Massachusetts has been especially noticeable since Chief Justice Rugg established his control over the court. This able, dominating and conscientious man apparently has a conception of government totally different from the ordinary American. As he has increased his power, his natural austerity has increased and his opinions have grown reactionary. Since he has brought his court to heel, it has been pretty dry of the humanities.

The sentiment against the court is largely against Judge Rugg's Supreme Court. Very few complaints are made against trial judges. With very few exceptions they are good men. The opposition of labor leaders to the courts is due wholly to the decisions of the Supreme Court. While they do not take sufficiently into consideration the fact that most of the decisions of the court which have been disastrous to labor have followed the opinions of the United States Supreme Court, yet there is from their point of view sufficient ground for criticism. It is evident to them that our State court is only too eager to follow the reactionary decisions concerning labor of the Federal Court.

A great impetus was recently given to the sentiment for the election of judges by the Supreme Court seizure of the power to control the discretionary acts of the district attorneys and remove at their will officers whose election by the people is established by the Constitution itself.

Is the Earth Flat?

Yes, and That's Not Half of It

By T. E. Powers

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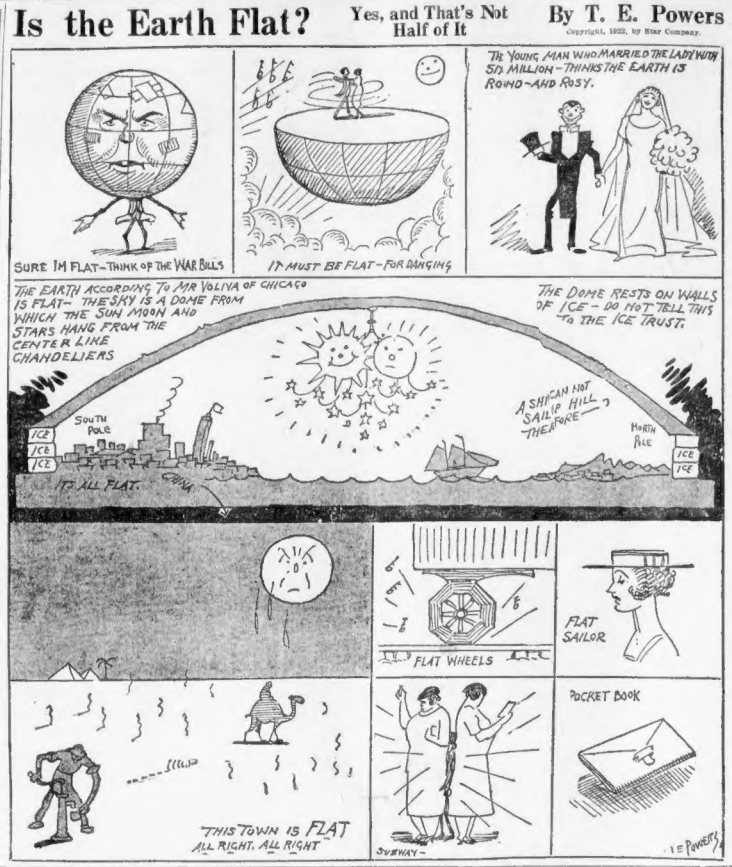
SURE IM FLAT—THINK OF THE WAR BILLS
IT MUST BE FLAT—FOR DANCING
THE YOUNG MAN WHO MARRIED THE LADY WITH 5th MILLION—THINKS THE EARTH IS ROUND—AND ROSY.
THE EARTH ACCORDING TO MR VOLIVA OF CHICAGO IS FLAT—THE SKY IS A DOME FROM WHICH THE SUN MOON AND STARS HANG FROM THE CENTER LIKE CHANDELIERS
THE DOME RESTS ON WALLS OF ICE—DO NOT TELL THIS TO THE ICE TRUST.
SOUTH POLE
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IT'S ALL FLAT.
A SHIP CAN NOT SAIL UP HILL—THEREFORE—
FLAT WHEELS
FLAT SAILOR
POCKET BOOK
THIS TOWN IS FLAT ALL RIGHT, ALL RIGHT
SUBWAY—
I. E. POWERS

Letters to the Editor

Bonus and Balance

Editor Boston American:

The so-called senators and legislators are arguing pro and con about the much-abused "soldiers' bonus." It is interesting to note that about 90 per cent. know not whereof they speak.

As the soldiers were not paid a wage commensurate with the task they performed, and not half as much as the common laborer's scale here at home, let the government pay them what is coming to them; then let them talk about a "bonus." A better phrase than "bonus" would be "balance due."

DR. A. A. HANSON.

Fire Escapes

Editor Boston American:

Is there any law about fire escapes in Boston? Tuesday night I watched the fire on St. Botolph street, corner Follen street, Back Bay, and I could not help wondering about fire escapes.

I went on the top of the buildings on Follen street with a tenant, and the only escape provided is a wooden bridge that connects from window to window. There is no back stairway in all this row of houses, and in the first house (No. 7) there is not even the wooden bridge. If the occupants cannot get down the one stairway or up the same stairway to the roof, there is absolutely no escape.

AN ONLOOKER.

Once-Overs

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CHEER UP!

It is so easy to become cynical, suspicious, envious and disagreeable.

And WHY?

The span of life is short.

So short we cannot, should not, waste any of it.

Suspicion carries with it cold aloofness and that does not make friends.

Envy and disagreeable thoughts take the biggest toll from the person so afflicted.

The disagreeable, dissatisfied person makes others unhappy, but hurts himself the most, because there can be no sunshine under a cloud of morbid thoughts.

Of course, everyone has trials and some heartaches, but there is no use in trying to prolong the stay—no use in making an effort to retain them.

While we are making this earthly trip let us be good sports.

Natural Ability of Men

By Garrett P. Serviss

THE subject of the following letter is of import to every young man and young woman. It contains the key to a happy life:

"I am a college student and am pursuing an engineering course. Recently, in our English class, we had a discussion on 'Life and Success.' Our professor gave us a lengthy lecture which I will attempt to sum up as follows:

"'We all strive to succeed in some field. But we will not attain success unless we have the natural ability, and that is a quality which is born in a person and cannot be attained otherwise. For instance, let us take a man striving to become an engineer. His ideal is to become a successful consulting engineer, but if he hasn't the natural ability his strenuous efforts may make him a passable engineer, but he can never attain his ideal.'

"I absolutely refuse to accept my professor's philosophical statement. I want to understand that I will be repaid for my earnest efforts. But may I do so wisely, or will I be misleading myself in doing so? My problem is universal and has undoubtedly caused many a serious-minded young man to wince at the idea of taking a chance.—G. S."

Gifts Must Be Developed

You and your professor are not so much at odds as you think. He ought to have dwelt more on the effect of training and concentration in developing and directing natural gifts and, often, in bringing them out when they lie concealed; but you, on your part, ought not to have assumed that his remarks had an unfavorable bearing on your own case. Your ambition to become an engineer may be taken as probable evidence that you possess natural ability for work of that kind. You should follow your bent and have confidence in yourself.

No young man should "wince at the idea of taking a chance" in following any occupation that awakens his emulation and constantly occupies his thoughts. If your mind keeps coming back to that occupation, then stick to it, and don't let anybody, not even a college professor, discourage you by talking about the wonders of genius and the necessity of possessing "natural ability."

There is no natural gift, however great or however humble, that cannot be improved by exercise. Schools, especially technical ones, are for training natural ability. The governing influence is personal will-power. Of course, that, too, may be regarded as a natural gift, but, like all the others, it is cultivable. The only hopeless cases are those where no ambition exists. To them, undoubtedly, the professor's warning words apply. They can never attain their ideal—because they have no ideal. An ideal is a talisman of success provided that it is conceived by ambition and pursued with a will.

But you should change your mental attitude, and the other young men you speak of should change theirs. Do not worry about being "repaid" for your "earnest efforts." You have no claim to repayment for them. They bring their own reward to you, and you should thank God for having enabled you to make them. The young man who starts out in life asking, "What's going to pay me best?" is not on the road to true success. Eagerness and earnestness won't help him along that line. He should rather ask himself, "What is it that I find the most satisfaction in doing?" or "What can I do best?" If he can correctly answer that question he has found the key to success, and, more than that, he has also discovered where whatever natural ability he may have been endowed with lies; but neither he nor any professor can tell to just what height of achievement that ability may be carried by continued exercise and the power of accumulated experience.

Teachers Often to Blame

History is full of examples of the nullification of natural ability by the influence of untoward circumstances or the conflicting force of evil tendencies. Of these two causes of failure the first may be beyond human control, and the second is often not clearly manifested until after school days are over and practical life has begun. But there is a kind of obscuration, or apparent obscuration, of the intellect in early life with which sympathetic and inspiriting teachers can successfully deal. Many a boy has been unjustly neglected and pushed aside by his teachers because his too exuberant animal spirits or his love of play and mischief interfered with his studies and inhibited the exhibition and application of the powers that he really possessed.

Bandit Who Has Risen High

IT was as a bandit that Chang Tso-ling rose to his present height.

Of his early career little definite is known, but the legend goes that as a young boy he was kidnaped from a good family by bandits and taken to Manchuria. Having grown up among bandits he became one himself and by courage and resourcefulness made himself leader of his band, says Nathaniel Peffer in Asia Magazine.

After the manner of primitive conquerors he subdued other bands, consolidated them under his leadership and emerged as a sort of brigand-emperor of the Manchurian provinces. He was then eligible for statesmanship and entitled to recognition by the government.

Now he is Governor of the Manchurian provinces, an empire in themselves. He commands an army of 200,000 men, whom he uses as the spirit moves, regardless of the fact that their pay comes from the ational treasury, or at least from the provincial taxes, and by virtue of his armed strength, and of his strategic position on the Peking-Mukden railway, he maintains his hold on the government of China—for the time.

Wit and Wisdom

MAKING THE NATION GAY

Mr. Pepper, the new Senator from Pennsylvania, may add a dash of spice to the most dignified, deliberative body on earth, but Mr. Newberry will continue to serve as the chief decoration for the shortcake.

"Reading maketh a full man." This probably refers to one of the best cellars.

New York woman is going to move further downtown because she doesn't like to have her friends say she is in the fifties.

One man calls his wife Crystal because she's always on the watch.

Every single man knows he would save money if he were married, and every married man knows he would save money if he were single.

SOME GIRLS OVERWORK PSYCHIC EXCUSE

By Winifred Black

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"NO," said the modern mother.

"No, there's nothing wrong with Jim, really—his wife just thinks there is.

"He loves her deeply and at heart he's devoted to his two lovely boys. But he's very busy and very nervous, and of course he's a little irritable and fussy, and the boys always keep out of the way when he's at home. And sometimes his wife cries and wonders if Jim is in love with another woman.

"He's pale, Jim is, and hollow-eyed, and he never seems happy, sort of restless and discontented, he is. You'd think there was something on his mind all the time, and there's nothing the matter with him at all—but a complex.

Had Been Analyzed

"If he'd only go and be analyzed by a good psychist—a scientific one I mean—he'd soon know what was the matter with him, and so would we all. And when you know what's the matter it's always easy to face things.

"Mary? Oh, she's been analyzed and you have no idea what a difference it's made in her life. Mary has always declared that she hated men, and would not marry for the world. And the psycho-analysis showed her that she didn't hate men at all. She just had a sex complex, and now she's changed her mind and she's going to be married and raise a family and everything.

"Who's the man? Oh, she hasn't found the man yet! But she's looking for the right one, and of course now that the complex is understood Mary won't have any trouble about the man. It's all in your mind, the whole thing, anyway. And now that she's taken the right attitude to marry, she'll marry. I don't see how we ever lived at all before we understood psychology, do you?"

"No," I said, "I don't." And to be quite honest I really don't.

What do families do when they don't keep a cat?

Who knocks the jelly off the top shelf? Who gets into the icebox and eats up the cold chicken? Who does all the things that nobody ever does except the cat?

How lovely it is for the human family now that we have psychology as a kind of pet cat!

No one's to blame for anything any more anywhere, anyhow, any time. Bill Bluggins, the burglar, climbs into your window and steals your money and your diamonds, and if you don't let him get away with it he kills you, and that's all there is to it.

Is Bill Bluggins a thief and a murderer at heart?

Not he! He has a property complex and can't see any difference between what's yours and what's his. Why blame poor Bill? Send him to the psychologist and it's always clear as daylight.

Violet Vane, the languishing vamp, makes love to her best friend's good husband, takes him away from his wife and his children, spends all his money and leaves him a tattered wreck of what he once was.

Unprogressive

Blame Violet for vamping?

Hold her to account for the lives she has ruined?

Why, the idea! How unprogressive!

Send her to the psycho-analyst and he'll tell Violet that she has a sex complex and simply can't leave other women's husbands alone.

And that straightens out the whole affair.

Of course.

Quite so.

And the girls who want to "live their own lives"—no matter what their mothers and fathers have done for them—no matter how much they are needed at home—no matter how vapid and selfish and senseless their own lives may turn out to be.

What? Ask them to remember duty once in a while, gratitude, a sense of obligation? Absurd!

Send them to be analyzed—and you'll get right at the bottom of the whole affair and find that they won't be to blame for anything, anywhere, any time. It's all some kind of a complex that ought to be spanked.

How it does simplify things, doesn't it?

I'm so glad I'm beginning to understand it, aren't you?

NOT SO MUCH CHANGE

De Style—Back in the olden time Broadway was only a cowpath.

Gunbusta—And now it's a highway for calves.

THE BUTCHER'S LAY

There, little lamb chop,
Don't you cry;
You'll be a dollar
Bye and bye.

THEATRICAL NOTE

A young woman who was hit by a Fifth avenue bus can say she was stage struck.

BELIEVE IN FAIRIES FOR YOU ARE ONE

By Dr. Charles Fleischer

MAUDE ADAMS must long remain memorable in theatrical annals through association with the part of Peter Pan.

As Barrie's whimsical little hero of Never Never Land, she had occasion at a critical moment to seem to step out of her character and come forward to the footlights to make an apparently personal appeal to the audience.

Tinker Bell—the abandoned hussy who was proud of being a hussy—was about to die. The sweetly tinkling bell, which symbolized her impish activity, was sounding faintlier and fainter. The light which represented her very life was flickering tiniuly. Tinker Bell would surely die, unless the people present would protest their faith in fairies!

And so Maude Adams—beg pardon! Peter Pan—pathetic, sympathetic creature, pleads with the audience to believe in fairies. And, if you believe, wave your handkerchief, clap your hands, shout—so that Tinker Bell's life might be saved!

Well, the response at each performance was such as would do credit to the great crowd at a national convention when finally a presidential candidate is selected. Grownups urged their grandpieces, and "smart" folks dropped their sophistication, and suddenly—everybody believed in fairies!

Tinker's bell grew stronger, her light flashed full, her life was saved!

If only those audiences could have stayed converted. If only we never lost our childhood's faith in fairies, how much more beautiful life would be!

Reserve of Strength

Nor would we be so abandoned to self-deceit and to live in a Castle of Dreams. But we would have a reserve of strength for the dark days, when the light of life refuses to flash and the bell of courage sounds but faintly.

If you believe in fairies, you could entertain the likelihood of the impossible; and the improbable would be almost a definite promise. You would know that wonders never cease, and that a miracle can always happen—even to you!

The writer recalls that, at the time that Maude Adams and Peter Pan were the theatrical vogue, he used to test his friends and acquaintances by the way that they took to this play. If they liked it, they were of the elect—if they smirked at it as stuff-and-nonsense, they were hopeless!

So now he must obey the impulse to ask you to apply a similar test to yourself.

Indeed, an even greater draught is being made upon your credulous capacity. YOU ARE ASKED BELIEVE THAT YOU YOURSELF ARE A FAIRY!

Now, don't look foolish, and don't giggle irrationally. No one is watching you, and no one will overhear your confession. No one will laugh at you. On the contrary, there is a vast host of fellow-believers, and each has a tearful smile in his eyes and a tell-tale catch in his throat.

Thus childhood's faith does linger in our hearts, and is willing to make its appearance only, from its lurking-place, when lured forth by the confident call of sympathy.

Now that you see eye to eye with us, which are dazzled by the unusually strong light. Now you are accustomed to it, and you see everything more clearly. Now you discover beauty of which you had not dreamed. And the light has a peculiar, penetrating quality so that, when you shut your eyes, you can look inward.

Mind and Love

And, strangely enough, what you see there is not brain and heart, lung and liver, and stomach; but mind and love, spirit, ideas and aspirations.

You did not know you were so wonderfully beautiful! You were not aware of so much power! Why, you can be or do anything you please—within yourself!

Do you believe in fairies? Of course, you do; for you are one. With that faith, you can always transform the world of your senses and sight and sound and all the life of outward things into an inner realm of wonder and loveliness.

If you are wise in the practical use of fairy power, you can put beauty into the ugliest relations; you can pour splendor over the most sordid surroundings; you can glorify the most seemingly insignificant job.

With fairy vision, you can look right through things and persons and circumstances—and discover the slowness, rhythmic movement, love, the better and the best. Power the Motive and Love the Impulse.

If you believe in fairies, and know that you are one, you will not fear, even now, to undertake any task, to change your work, to increase your interests. You will have the courage to challenge the improbable and the impossible.

For, now you see—with the fairy vision of your everlasting childhood's faith—how much you can be and do, if only you would and willed!